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**BUSINESS SPECIALS.**  
Under this head business notices inserted for ten cents per line. Seven words to the line.  
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Plants for flower garden. Stone.  
Novelty and National refrigerators are available, handsome, economical and cheap. Sold by Wm. C. Leavitt.  
Wanted, a competent girl to do general housework. Mrs. Christine Stephens, Norway Lake.  
Best fifty cent knife at Wm. C. Leavitt's.  
Stealing Coal! That's what the old range is doing, get a Glenwood.  
Eureka Fly Killer is what you want to keep flies off from horses and cattle. Warranted. Wm. C. Cole, agent, Norway.  
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**NORWAY AND VICINITY**  
Freeman H. Brown and George H. Brown of Bridgton were in Norway, Monday.  
Oxford Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, regular meeting on Wednesday evening, May 20.  
Louise P. Swift and wife saw a deer in the fields beside the road while driving to Oxford, Sunday.  
Robert F. Bickford was over from Ramfoll Falls to spend Sunday with his brother, Will Bickford.  
B. M. Pratt of Oxford was in town, Monday, looking after his real estate (the I. N. Small stand) on Bridge street.  
Harrington L. Plummer went to Albany, Friday. He will preach in the Congregational church there, this summer.  
Jesse S. Allard and Howard E. Moulton have again taken rooms for the summer at Edward H. Morse's on Pike's Hill.  
A. L. Cook and wife and W. H. Garey and wife recently visited the Fiske trout brook at North Waterford and got eleven fish.

**Visit From G. T. Ry-Officers.**  
Saturday afternoon, while en route from Portland to Montreal, the Grand Trunk officials spent an hour in Norway, coming in with their special train. The members of the party were:  
Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson, president, London, England.  
George B. Reeve, general manager, Montreal, P. Q.  
George A. McNicholl, secretary to general manager.  
F. H. McGuigan, general superintendent, Montreal.  
F. W. Morse, superintendent of motive power, Montreal.  
G. C. Jones, superintendent of Eastern division, Montreal.  
J. Browne, assistant superintendent, Island Pond, Vt.  
Joseph Robson, chief engineer, Montreal.  
E. S. Baskett, resident engineer, Montreal.  
They looked over the railroad property here, and spent a little time looking about the town.

At 7:30 o'clock, Thursday evening, the Memorial day address is to be given in Norway opera house by Charles P. Barnes esq.  
Oxford Lodge, F. & A. M., regular meeting on Friday evening, May 31; special meeting on Tuesday evening, June 4, work M. M.  
S. B. Kimball and family have moved to Chatham, N. H., to run a boarding-house for Sampson Hariman. Their goods left, the first of this week.

A. D. Kilgore, the Norway Lake blacksmith, is soon to move on the R. K. Morrill farm. Mr. Kilgore and family have been staying with and caring for Alfred Shattuck Jr., some months past.  
Capt. Fred E. Drake of A. O. Noyes Company, Uniform Rank Knights of Pythias, has ordered the company to be at the hall at 8:30 o'clock a. m., Memorial Day.

Grace Faunce will go to Orono, week after next, to attend the University of Maine commencement. Her brother, Benjamin Franklin Faunce, is one of the graduating class.  
Cliff, N. Eastman, the Waterford stage driver, recently picked up \$20.00 on Main street. The money was soon claimed and turned over to David Lebroek, a North Waterford teamster.

**Commencement Ball.**  
The committee for the Norway High School Commencement Ball, June 7th, have engaged Stearns' Orchestra, assisted by Messrs. Plummer and Barrett of Lewiston, basso player and tenor drum.  
Admission to floor 50c, by invitation. Gallery open to the public. Admission 15c. All seats reserved.  
A general invitation is extended to the alumni of the school.

With new paint, new blinds, new trimmings on the front porch and a thorough general renovation, A. H. Witham has improved his stand, the Ivory Smith place, at corner of Pine and Marston streets considerably. James M. Hannaford was with him on the work.

Locomotive No. 185 has returned from the repair shops at Portland and is again running on the Norway Branch. The most conspicuous change is bright red paint on the inside of the bell. Combination car 589 has also returned from the shops and looks spick and span, as it runs on the Branch.

Oxford Lodge of Ark Mariners will be launched on its next regular voyage, Wednesday evening, June 5th. Several candidates will receive the degree, a banquet will be served, and some good singing heard. This will probably end the season's work, as the lodge will call off until September, unless a special voyage can be appointed by the Venerable Master.

The village grammar, intermediate and primary schools will close the spring term on this Friday. The grammar and intermediate schools have a basket picnic in the afternoon. Next week on Thursday evening, the school graduation exercises in the opera house. A pleasing feature of that evening will be the presentation of twenty-five dollars in gold to the graduate who has maintained the highest rank during the four-year course. This is the Selts prize given by Don C. Selts of New York and is offered also for the class of 1902.

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4 months, 50 cents.  
6 months, 75 cents.

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Ned Truman is sick with a fever.  
Solon Moore has had his buildings painted.  
Verne Aldrich returned from Auburn, Monday.  
The dry goods stores close for Memorial; also several of the other stores.  
Mrs. Belle Field and little daughter Angie are visiting her father in Buckfield.  
Mrs. Harry M. Tufts of Manchester, N. H., is visiting her father, Dr. A. N. French.  
The seats for the graduating exercises of the Norway High School will be on sale at Stone's drug store, Saturday, June 1, at 7 o'clock p. m.  
Amasa A. Robbins and George R. Stephenson recently visited Little Concord pond and took a canoe along with them. It resulted in exploring the waters, but no trout were seen. Several nice fish were seen.

**Lectures.**  
Mrs. Mabel L. Conklin of Brooklyn, N. Y., National Lecturer and Organizer of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union and White Cross Society for men, will give a series of lectures in Norway and South Paris, June 2, 3 and 4.  
Mrs. Conklin is a woman of extraordinary talent, has studied in Europe, and has had a broad experience as a lecturer. She is a delightfully interesting speaker and though she comes under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., 'tis only by the generous co-operation of the churches that we are given this opportunity to hear her. It is hoped that one and all will make a great effort to come to these lectures. Do not stay at home, and then when it is too late, and you hear your friends singing her praises, be sorry that you did not hear her. She will preach at a mass meeting in the Baptist church at South Paris at 3 p. m. Sunday, June 3d, and at a mass meeting in the Congregational church, Norway, at 7:30 Sunday evening.  
Monday, June 4, at 4:30 p. m., she will give a talk to boys over ten years of age in Concert Hall, Norway. Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock, under the auspices of the Y. W. C. U., there will be an address to girls over fourteen years of age at the Universalist church, Norway. All women are admitted to this service.  
Tuesday at 3 p. m., under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., Mother's Club, there will be an address to all women, at the Methodist church, Norway. Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, Mrs. Conklin talks to men and boys over fourteen years of age, at the Baptist church, Norway.  
These lectures are free, but collections will be taken at the different meetings to help pay expenses.

There was a good attendance at the Baptist church, Sunday afternoon, on the occasion of the memorial sermon by the pastor, Rev. H. H. Bishop. About 40 members of the Grand Army Post were present, and a similar number of the Women's Relief Corps. Good singing was by a chorus of sixteen voices under direction of Mrs. Clarence L. DeCoster. Mr. Bishop's theme was Peace, and the manner in which he handled it was pleasing to his auditors. He believes that permanent peace is never reached over any question till it is settled, and that it is never settled until settled right.  
The old-fashioned district school that occurred at Concert Hall, Friday evening, was a decided success. The hall was crowded to the very doors. The supper too was excellent and well patronized. It must have been very gratifying to the W. C. T. U. and also left them a neat little sum for their charity work.  
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Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hubbard and little daughter Helen spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Clara Bradbury, at North Norway.  
F. H. Beck will furnish ice cream and cake at intermission at the Commencement ball, class '01, Norway High School, at Norway Opera House, June 7.  
"Prisoner of Zenda" at Norway Opera House, Friday evening, May 31. Tickets on sale at Stone's, Thursday. Those who have subscribed for tickets can get them checked, Wednesday. Tickets \$5, 50 and 75 cents.  
Chas. F. Matier, Grand Secretary of the Grand Council of Allied Masonic Degrees of England and Wales, has presented a file of the recent proceedings of that body to Oxford Lodge of Ark Mariners, to be placed in Norway Masonic Library.

**Bowdoin Alumni Banquet.**  
Oxford County Association of Bowdoin College Alumni met at the Beal's Hotel, Tuesday evening, for the annual banquet and reunion. Landford Woodman had provided an elegant repast with the following:  
- MENU -  
Baked Chicken au Gratin, Sauce Hollandaise, Oysters, Caviar.  
Young Vermont Turkey, Cranberry Jelly, Mashed Potatoes, French Potatoes, Cucumbers, Radishes, Lettuce, Lobster Salad, Salmon Salad, Spanish Quince Frit.  
Ribbon Cake, Nut Cake, Sponge Cake, Champagne Cake, Chocolate Cake, Angel Cake, Vanilla Ice Cream, Oranges, Apples, Bananas, Assorted Nuts, Cluster Raisins, American Cheese.  
Butter Tarts, Coffee, Soda Biscuits.  
The officers were re-elected, Judge Herriek president and toastmaster, and Frank Kimball secretary. The work and aims of Bowdoin College were set forth by Fred A. Merrill, of Brunswick. Stories were told and speeches made by Judge Addison E. Herriek, Bethel. F. B. Merrill, Bethel. Dr. C. A. Stephens, Norway Lake. Dr. S. A. Bennett, Norway. Frank Kimball, Norway. Merton L. Kimball, esq., Norway.  
L. P. Sweet and wife will start, Friday, on a visit to the Richardson lakes. The dentists of both villages close their offices, Saturday afternoon, until Sept. 14th.  
The Y. P. S. C. E. had a social at the vestry of the Congregational church, Tuesday evening.  
Fannie Cummings will read at the Memorial exercises, Thursday evening. There will also be music during the evening.  
W. F. Jones, esq., and Dr. Wheeler of the Massachusetts Hospital, Boston, are spending a few days fishing at Little Concord pond in Summer.  
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Hon. James S. Wright was at North Jay, a couple of days last week.  
The three per cent. discount on Paris taxes expires at midnight, May 31.  
Charles Bonney and wife of Sumner visited at J. D. Haynes' over Sunday.  
George and Laura Dean of Buckfield visited at Albion Taylor's, last Friday.  
Mrs. S. S. Dorr and son of Mexico are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Minnie Bowker.  
Jessie Clare Tolman has been visited by a friend, Clara Stinchfield of Portland, at her home in Norway.  
Carroll G. Curtis has been visited by his sister, Mrs. Hattie G. Selden of Portland.  
Rev. Edwin W. Pierce and family have moved to C. E. McArdle's rent on Pleasant street.  
Rev. and Mrs. Abel W. Pottle visited her mother, Mrs. Whitmore, at Bowdoinham, last week.

**Memorial Day in Paris.**  
Forty members of William K. Kimball Post, G. A. R., assembled at their hall, last Sunday afternoon, and accompanied by about the same number of the Relief Corps, marched to the Baptist church. Rev. Thomas J. Ramsdell, the pastor, preached a strong sermon from Exodus xii, 14: "And this day shall be to you for a memorial." Singing by the choir, including a duet by Mrs. John E. Everett and Clifton A. Churchill and a solo by Jessie Clare Tolman.  
On Thursday, May 30, such of the comrades as are not detailed for other duties, are to be at G. A. R. hall at 7:00 o'clock a. m., for a drive to West Paris. At West Paris, the G. A. R. men, citizens and school children march to the cemetery and observe the following order of exercises:  
Singing.....Hon. James S. Wright  
Prayer.....Rev. A. W. Pottle  
Remarks.....Comrade Rev. W. E. Brooks  
General remarks.....By others  
Decorating soldiers' graves.....By the comrades  
Closing singing.....America  
After dinner, comrades of the Grand Army and ladies of the Relief Corps assemble at G. A. R. hall and form a procession as follows:  
Band.....G. A. R. members and army veterans.....  
Society.....Rev. A. W. Pottle  
Reading.....Ollie Mae Stuart  
Prayer.....Quartet, Rev. A. W. Pottle  
Decorating soldiers' graves, the band meanwhile playing a march.  
Resuming march, proceed to Mount Pleasant soldiers' monument, and to New Hall for the final exercises of the day:  
Music.....Parisian Male Quartet  
Singing.....Parisian Male Quartet  
Prayer.....Rev. A. W. Pottle  
Reading.....Susie Round  
Presentation of the grave by Col. French, to the Post, to be received by Post Commander L. J. Monk.  
Response.....Rev. W. E. Brooks  
Music.....Col. C. H. French  
Closing service of the afternoon, singing American hymns.  
In the evening, Col. French's illustrated lecture on Cuba and the Maine, also a talk on Alaska, for the benefit of the G. A. R. Post.

N. Dayton Bolster and J. Augustus Kenney have been drawn petit jurors for the United States district court at Portland, June 17.  
George R. Morton and William P. Morton and their wives are rusticiating at Haines' Landing, South Arm of Lake Umbagog.  
John F. Stanley and wife spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Charles W. Bowker. They came up from Lake Umbagog with a team.  
Charles S. Dudley has a pair of twin heifer calves by the side of his valuable Jersey cow, Wildcat. He sets a fancy price on the calves.  
Dea. George B. Crockett and family have moved from Henry K. Stearns' house on Pleasant street to the William E. Cushman house on the same street.  
Mr. and Mrs. James I. Bryant of Buckfield visited Mrs. Bryant's mother, Mrs. Helen L. Stearns, Sunday. Alice Stearns accompanied them home to spend some time.  
Mrs. Mabel L. Conklin of New York, national superintendent of the White Cross Society, will speak in the Baptist church at 3 o'clock p. m., next Sunday afternoon.

Dea. George B. Crockett and son, Ernest P. Crockett, spent a couple of days of last week at fishing in the vicinity of the Concord ponds in Woodstock. They caught nearly 400 trout.  
Charles H. Merrill has sold his buildings and land (fourteen acres) on the Nichols street corner to Almon J. Penley who takes possession at once.  
Charles S. Lewis of Auburn has just closed a successful quarter of instruction on the banjo with pupils here. He had a class of a dozen. Mr. Lewis continues plates starting another class here, next fall.  
William C. Libby has sold his stand on Oxford street to Nathan C. McKean, and will move into George Wise's house at corner of Gothic and Myrtle streets. Mr. McKean has also bought the Joseph Knight cobble shop.

Uncle John H. Martin has painted his house, and if you go by there you may know that the jolliest man in Oxford county has painted his home in the brightest and most cheerful colors which he could find.  
Wednesday evening, May 22, Mrs. Eunice C. Hardy died at her home in the Bolster neighborhood. She was 68 years old and survived her husband, the late William W. Hardy, twenty days. The funeral was held on Saturday.

William H. Stockbridge of Portland was in town on Thursday evening, May 23, and conducted a rehearsal of the opera Mikado. His sister, Anna Stockbridge, of Freeport, who has sung in this opera at several presentations, will assist in starting it. The dates are Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week.

Vaughn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Clark, died on last Friday night after a sickness of two weeks' duration. She had always been a very bright, smart child, and possessed great natural gifts of mimicry and expression. Her readings were something marvelous for a child and she was a favorite at entertainments in this vicinity. The funeral was held on Monday afternoon.  
L. P. Hawkins has sold the True grist mill property with the mill privilege and all the equipment to Almon E. Shurtleff. Mr. Shurtleff has undoubtedly bought the property for his own use as a millman, but for a short time at least it will continue to be run by the South Paris Grain Co. Mr. Hawkins has taken a ten-year lease of the south portion of the property, where he has established an excelsior factory.  
The movement to preserve and care for the old cemetery near the residence of Capt. G. C. Pratt in the Bolster neighborhood is having good luck. Several substantial donations have been made, and a permanent fund will be established. Last week an organization was effected under the name of the Fairview Cemetery Association with the following officers:  
President-Stephen R. Parsons.  
Secretary and Treasurer-Howard N. Bolster.  
Trustees-Stephen R. Parsons, Horace N. Bolster, Freeman L. Cummings.

Alton C. Wheeler was up from Mechanic Falls, Tuesday night.  
It is expected that all but one or two of the stores will be closed on Memorial day.  
Mrs. J. R. Bennett was visited, Sunday, by Mrs. Field and daughter Angie of Buckfield.  
Douglass Farrar and wife are boarding at Charles Knight's on Alpine street and working in the shoe factory at Norway.  
Royal Adams of Casco has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Charles Adams, at his brother's, George Adams', on Alpine street.  
Next week, a double wedding is expected to be the first of the June society events. The parties are four of our most popular young people.  
George A. Chapman, who has bought the Almon J. Penley farm, is going into the small fruits business extensively. Prussia F. Crockett is working for him.  
Wilson L. Richards was not taken to the asylum at Augusta, last week, as was announced. He appeared so much better for a time that it was put off till Tuesday afternoon of this week. He was accompanied by his mother and also by Dr. Charles L. Buck and Eli J. Swan.  
There is a move on foot to have horse trotting and ball games on the Fair Grounds on the 4th of July. A committee has been appointed to have charge of it. A 2.27 and 2.50 class of races and three or four games of ball will be had. Good sized purses will be offered for each.  
Wednesday afternoon of last week, as the street car was coming from Norway on the half-past four trip, it jumped the iron at the curve in front of S. Porter Stearns' on Pleasant street and killed two nice cows that he had been raising along nicely with their big family of nearly 500 chickens and 150 hens.  
Quite extensive changes are being made in the sitting-room at Wm. F. French's, new paper and paint and a hard wood floor.  
The cattle commissioners were at Orin Brown's, last Thursday and killed two nice cows that he had tuberculosis, this makes four he has lost within a few months.  
Mrs. Johnson Haskell and children from West Bethel are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Flint. Mr. Haskell is to build him a house and store, this season.  
One morning, last week, as Roy Herriek was passing along the road with a load of shingles, the oxen became frightened, turned around, tipped over the wagon, broke the pole and ran away, making it very unpleasant for Roy.

**WEST FRYEBURG.**  
Secretary B. W. McKean is at home and hustling farm work along briskly.  
Fred Coleman of Boston, Mass., is visiting his relatives, the Meserves and Hardys.  
The Juvenile Samaritan club has voted to suspend meetings during the school session.  
Mrs. J. H. Hardy is able to be out after some weeks of illness confining her to her house.  
George Thomson of Lakeview, N. J., with a friend is a guest at the home of his sister, Mrs. Gilman H. Wentworth.  
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Wednesday, May 23, James Barchard was steady a heavy load of timber, when the horses got scared and jumped. He was thrown under the load and one wheel passed over his left arm, causing a compound fracture and a bad flesh wound.  
The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor gave the members of the Congregational church and parish a reception at Garland chapel, last Friday evening. The room was nicely decorated for the occasion. A short talk was given by E. G. Bowler, a reading by Miss Gehring and a piano solo by Mrs. G. L. Sturdivant.  
At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Morgan in Bethel, Thursday afternoon, their niece, Josephine H. Morgan, was married to Charles W. Florence of Maine, Ohio. Rev. E. B. Barton of the Universalist church officiated. Only the immediate relatives were present. Mr. and Mrs. Morgan intend to remain in Bethel during a part or all of the coming summer, but later they will go to Ohio, where they will make their future home.  
Prof. W. R. Chapman will give a musical concert at Odeon hall, Bethel, June 27th, for the benefit of Prof. Scott Wright. This is wholly unexpected by Prof. Wright and wholly unsolicited by any of his friends, but the result of Prof. Chapman's own thoughtful brain and generous heart. He will be assisted by some of the best musical talent in the county. A timely notice of the full program, list of characters, etc., will be given in the next week's items for the ADVERTISER.

**WATERFORD.**  
The Skinner brothers have bought Arthur Swift's farm.  
Lawrence Knight and wife are rejoicing over the advent of a little daughter.  
Charles H. Hodsdon, a soldier of the Civil war, died at his home on Temple Hill, last Sunday.  
Will Heath found a grip in the road, recently. The owner can have the same by calling at his house and describing contents.  
Wm. H. Doten of South Paris was in the place, last week. He has gone to Harrison to take charge of Lamb's barbershop for a while.  
Mt. Tireson Lodge, F. & A. Masons, has received an invitation to be present at a special meeting of Oxford Lodge, F. & A. M., to be held, June 4th.  
J. W. Warren and wife of Wilton were in town, last week. Mr. Warren came to set up a monument of Jay granite in his father's lot in the cemetery at South Waterford.

**NORTH NORWAY.**  
John C. Saunders is very poorly.  
Mr. Ericson from Oxford preached at the chapel, last Sunday.  
H. S. Hamlin went to Harrison, one day last week, after phosphate.  
J. S. Herriek and E. C. French have singled Mrs. Marshall's house at the lower corner.  
Isaac Pingree has bought the Daniel Green farm in East Otisfield and moved there with his family.  
O. W. H. Jenkins went to Bethel and got some nice pigs that his son Albert sent from Upton, last Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Pierce are getting along nicely with their big family of nearly 500 chickens and 150 hens.  
Quite extensive changes are being made in the sitting-room at Wm. F. French's, new paper and paint and a hard wood floor.  
The cattle commissioners were at Orin Brown's, last Thursday and killed two nice cows that he had tuberculosis, this makes four he has lost within a few months.  
Mrs. Johnson Haskell and children from West Bethel are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Flint. Mr. Haskell is to build him a house and store, this season.  
One morning, last week, as Roy Herriek was passing along the road with a load of shingles, the oxen became frightened, turned around, tipped over the wagon, broke the pole and ran away, making it very unpleasant for Roy.

**WEST FRYEBURG.**  
Secretary B. W. McKean is at home and hustling farm work along briskly.  
Fred Coleman of Boston, Mass., is visiting his relatives, the Meserves and Hardys.  
The Juvenile Samaritan club has voted to suspend meetings during the school session.  
Mrs. J. H. Hardy is able to be out after some weeks of illness confining her to her house.  
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June 2—Universalist State Convention, Bangor.  
June 3—Norway high school graduation.  
June 4—J. C. Saunders' auction, North Norway.  
June 5—Gould Academy graduation, Bethel.  
June 6—Norway high school commencement ball.  
June 7—Norway high school vs. Bridgton high school base ball game, Norway.  
June 8—Maine Legislative reunion, Poland Spring.  
June 10—Lewiston District Epworth League convention, Norway.  
June 11—Oxford Pomona Grange, Hebron.  
June 12—Meeting of State Assessors, Fryeburg.  
June 13—Oxford Congregational conference, Gilead.  
June 14—Union Congregational Conference, North Waterford.  
June 15—Annual Encampment, Maine Sons of Veterans, Rockland.  
June 16—Meeting of State Assessors, South Paris.  
June 17—Meeting of State Assessors, Rumford Falls.  
June 18—Farmers' Institutes at East Hebron and West Minot.  
June 19—New England Encampment of United Sons of the American Revolution, Portland Harbor.  
June 20—Paris Hill Academy graduation.  
June 21—South Paris high school graduation.  
June 22—Oxford County W. C. T. U., Buckfield.  
June 23—Rumford Falls high school graduation.  
June 24—Eastern Oxford Y. P. S. C. E. local union, Andover.  
June 25—Maine Epworth League convention, Bangor.  
June 26—The Taylor summer camp at Fryeburg.  
July 1—Maine Pharmaceutical Association, Portland.  
Aug. 10—Old Home week.

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Mrs. S. Johnson has been appointed postmaster at Hastings.

Anthony L. Barreault of Canton has filed a petition in bankruptcy.

The order of April 13 discontinuing the post-office at Hastings has been rescinded.

As Mr. J. C. Saunders of North Norway is to live in the Russell lot, he has concluded to sell his household goods and furniture at auction on Thursday, June 6th, at 10 o'clock. See bills. A. D. Park auctioneer.

Saturday, at Bridgton, there was an exciting game of base ball between nine from the academies at North Bridgton and Hebron. Score, Bridgton 2, Hebron 1. Hits, Bridgton 10, Hebron 2. Errors, Bridgton 1, Hebron 2. Struck out by Hamlin of Bridgton 13, by Doe of Hebron 11.

There will be farmers' Institutes at West Minot and East Hebron, June 14. The subjects and speakers will be: Orchard—John W. Clark of North Hadley, Mass. Practical Road Building—J. O. Sanford, Stamford, Vt. Dairying—Secretary B. Walker McKen of Maine Board of Agriculture.

R. L. Willis of West Paris with his portable saw-mill has sawed 450,000 feet of pine lumber at Rumford Corner, and 1,200,000 feet of pine lumber at East Bethel, the past winter and spring, up to May 1. Mr. Willis will move his mill to what is known as the Thomas lot, in Greenwood, and will do sawing for Elias Thomas of Portland, next fall and winter.

Fred N. Saunders of Auburn has leased of E. W. Lovejoy of Lowell, Mass., the property on Lake Umbagog known as "Lakeside." This lease includes the hotel, two steamboats and all the personal property and real estate. Mr. Saunders will take possession, next Saturday, June 1. He and others have purchased a 1,000 acre tract of land on the upper end of Lake Umbagog, from Charles Mason of Bethel. This property has a four-mile shore line on Lake Umbagog and on Bear river. At that point a hotel to be known as Metalluc Lodge is to be built by a company to be known as the Maine and New Hampshire Hotel Association.

## Maps in the Registry of Deeds.

Heretofore, when anybody had a map or plan to file in the registry of deeds, he drew it on such paper and of such size as he saw fit. The result is an accumulation of miscellaneous papers that can only be kept in rolls. The officers of the Rumford Falls Power Co. have asked for a system on this matter, and, as their company is the principal one having such records here, a plan was made accordingly. At the last meeting of the county commissioners, Register Bean laid the matter before them and they adopted the following order:

After this date, every drawing, map or plan offered for recording in the County Registry shall be ready for binding into a Flat Record, and shall be of the following standard material and size before acceptance by the Register of Deeds, viz.: The drawing, map or plan shall be made with India ink, on Whatman's equal quality drawing paper, size 22 by 34 inches, and called Atlas or Columbian size, and drawn upon only one side of the sheet. Across one end of the sheet, which shall be the left hand edge or the top of the drawing, map or plan, shall be for binding a clear margin 2 1/2 inches wide, and on the other three edges a margin 1 1/2 inches wide.

A stub book for binding has been ordered. Register Bean will keep on hand a quantity of the paper and sell it at cost. Those who now have plans on record will prepare new copies in accordance with the requirements.

## EAST BROWNFIELD.

Fred Fogg spent a few days with his mother and sisters here, last week.

Nora Gatchell is visiting her sister in North Sebago.

Mrs. John Hodgdon, who has been dangerously ill, is improving slowly.

The Decoration Day address will be given by Rev. Newton Clough at the town hall. A chorus of several voices will furnish music.

Rev. Mr. Herold of Hiram delivered an able sermon at the Congregationalist church, last Sunday evening, and will preach at the same time and place, next Sabbath.

## WEST BROWNFIELD.

Freddie Dennett has been quite sick but is a little better at present.

Frank Hart passed away at his home, Tuesday, the 21st, after a long illness. Funeral was held at his home, the 23d.

Rufus Leavitt has returned home after working in Quincy, Mass., for several months, and speaks of opening a barber shop at West Brownfield.

Lewis L. Leavitt has returned to Quincy, Mass., to resume his work as motorman on the electric. His brother, G. Washington, went with him.

## Memorial Day Orators.

The speakers, Thursday, at the observances in honor of the nation's soldier dead in this vicinity are.

Albany—Rev. J. W. Grindell of Lowell.  
Bethel—Rev. Bates S. Ridout of Norway.  
Bryant's Pond—Judge Addison E. Herrick of Bethel.  
East—Verne M. Whitman of Canton.  
Dixfield—Rev. Harry E. Townsend of Woodford.  
Locke's Mills—Judge Charles F. Whitman of Norway.  
West—Judge A. H. Walker of Bridgton.  
Mason—Rev. Arthur Varley of Bethel.  
Norway—Charles F. Barnes, esq. of Old Orchard.  
Oxford—Frank Colley, esq. of Old Orchard.  
South Paris—Col. C. H. French of Chicago.  
Porter—Col. J. P. Twichell of Hiram.  
Rumford Center—Judge G. Willard Johnson of Rumford Falls.  
West Sumner—Rev. B. F. Turner of Buckfield.  
Bridgton—Rev. C. A. Hayden of Augusta.  
East Dixfield—Hon. Cyrus N. Blanchard of Wilton.  
Eden Falls—Rev. F. Starbird of Raymond.  
Harrison—Rev. C. A. Hayden of Augusta.  
Mechanic Falls—Hon. Jesse M. Libby of Mechanic Falls.  
Brownfield—Rev. Newton Clough of Brownfield.  
East Bethel—Merrill C. Park, esq., of Bethel.  
West Paris—Hon. James S. Wiley and Rev. Dr. William E. Brooks of South Paris.  
West Peru—Capt. Charles H. Prince of Buckfield.  
East Hiram—Rev. Luther Freeman of Portland Harbor.  
Also the following men whom we know will speak at the following places:  
Milo—Rev. E. W. Webster of Mechanic Falls.  
Mount Vernon—Rev. Charles S. Cummings of Auburn.  
North Turner—Rev. J. H. Little of Canton.  
Weld—Rev. Manley B. Townsend of Dixfield.

## NORTH LOVELL.

Ella Sawyer of Stoneham was at Abbie McKen's, Sunday.

Ben and Dana Wilson went to Norway, Saturday, on business.

Mrs. Nettie Lawler and two children visited at Dana Wilson's recently.

Virgil Horr is keeping bachelor's hall while Mr. and Mrs. Lord are away.

David Lord and wife are spending a few days with relatives in Denmark.

Mrs. Eliza Briggs went to Lewiston, Saturday, and will go on to Boston, the coming week.

Fonti Manning of North Waterford has been visiting her friend, Agnes Harriman, the past week.

Fred L. Harriman has a fine new wheel, a present from his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Palmer.

Mrs. G. M. and Mrs. F. L. Harriman went to South Waterford, Thursday, to have some drinking done.

Mrs. Charlotte Butters, daughter and granddaughter have been staying at Levi Butters' for a short visit.

Maybaskets are still the fashion here. A merry party of young folks were out, Saturday evening, and there were some speedy running matches. Quite a number of the contestants struck a two forty gait and it is not yet decided who won the race.

## DENMARK.

Frank Whales has bought another cow of Reuben Smith.

Frank Bennett of Harrison visited his sister, Mrs. Geo. Colby, Tuesday, the 21st.

C. O. Pendexter sold his Holstein cow to Fred Sanborn and bought of him a Jersey.

Memorial Sabbath at Denmark the Daniel A. Bean lot of Brownfield took part in the service.

Silas Gould and wife of South Bridgton visited at J. Merrifield's and A. H. Witham's, Wednesday, the 22d.

Leon Ingalls caught a nice salmon trout out of Peabody pond, Sebago, weighing 7 lbs., Wednesday, the 22d.

There are yet about 2 days' logs to stop at the dam and the brook is about full. The Saco river is so high that the logs won't go out of the brook till the water in the river settles.

## RUMFORD.

Mrs. J. H. Estes is in Portland for a few days.

Gen. Manning of Lewiston is visiting at Miss C. Walker's.

H. H. Hutchins has bought George Hodgdon's farm at Rumford Point.

Rose Abbott of Lewiston spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Colson Abbott.

W. W. Virgin from Rumford Falls spent Sunday with his brother, M. F. Virgin.

Mrs. Nettie Lord and son are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stevens.

Mrs. Ada Hutchins and son Robert are visiting her sister, Mrs. Morse, at Rumford Falls.

Mrs. Sarah Godwin, who has spent the winter with her daughters at Paris, returned to her home at the village, Saturday.

## EAST HEBRON.

Mrs. Joseph Merrill is very low and not expected to live from day to day.

Next Sabbath is church year conference and the Sunday school reorganizes.

O. O. Roberts came home to visit his parents, daughter and brother on Saturday.

Charles Hodson with a friend from Turner passed Saturday night with his parents, L. R. Hodson and wife.

Arthur Hayes and Ora Brown are having a short vacation and a trip on their wheels for a change from farming and they are having lots of pleasure.

Mrs. Josie Monk is still very insane. Millie Saunders came to Mrs. Monk's sick with measles and her eyes are affected. It is thought doubtful if she will be able to return to school the remainder of the present term.

Grand Army day was observed by East Hebron Grange, last Saturday. Alanson Young, formerly of this place, gave a very interesting address and gave many incidents relating to his three years of army life and of his imprisonment in Andersonville prison. He has made his home in Portland for many years.

## SCRIBNER'S MILL.

John Grover has the mumps, also John Bixby.

## RUMFORD FALLS.

W. V. Lander will build two more houses on Penobscot street.

A portion of Congress street will be macadamized, next month.

Frances Phelps of Snell & Phelps is sick with the measles.

Philo B. Clark has bought a new sheper for his machine shop.

Dr. Calhoun has leased a suite of three rooms in John E. Stephens' block.

A living Robert from Lewiston is the new landlord at the Oxford House.

The Dinton Lumber Co. will at once build seven new houses in Virginia.

Superintendent Smith has designated June 11 as visitation day in the schools.

Hugh J. Chisholm and John W. Burrows of New York were in town, last week.

Mrs. George D. Bisbee and Miss Bisbee have been visiting friends in Lewiston.

The Continental Paper Bag Co. is building a storehouse, 80x400 feet, one story.

C. A. Widner of New York is setting up new machines for the Continental Paper Bag Co.

The survey has been completed for the railroad extension from Bemis, 2 1/2 miles, to Indian Rock.

Rumford Falls brass band has reorganized with Luther Irish as leader. There are twenty musicians in the band.

The committee on subscriptions for the Fourth-of-July celebration is having excellent success and a big time is certain.

The village corporation assessors have bought an 8-inch steam whistle for a fire alarm. It will be put on one of the paper-mill boilers.

Harry Simanskey, a young Jew peddler, has leased the store adjoining George B. McMannan's barber shop, and will stock it with dry goods.

Levi Gueret is at home from army service in the Philippine Islands. He was in the army 17 months, receiving two promotions and being discharged as a sergeant.

A. W. Wing, stenographer for Bisbee & Parker, will build himself a residence on Knox street. The engagement is announced of Mr. Wing and Nina Herlihy of Lewiston.

Aretas E. Stearns and Rufus J. Virgin have bought of the Walton heirs the Thomas Allen farm a mile and a half south of the village. They intend to sell it in house lots.

Charles N. Waite of Boston is now in Europe on business for the Cellulose Products Co. of Wilmington, Del., of which he is the head chemist. Mr. Waite was formerly with the Electro-Chemical Co. in that place.

Rev. J. D. Graham has been attending the Baptist anniversaries in Springfield, Mass. Sunday morning, Rev. Manderholme of Dixfield occupied the pulpit. Sunday evening prayer-meeting was led by brother Everett K. Day.

John E. Stephens has a pink pearl that is valued at about \$35. This pearl was picked up in the John Hall meadow in the town of Sumner by a young son of James W. Andrews. This boy had watched some professionals who had been on the spot and had learned the art and went to work on his own account.

McGregor's steam shovel has been moved from the railroad yard to the Gammon Falls trestle near Chapman bluff on the R. R. & R. L. R. R., where a fill will be made. Mr. McGregor and his crew will then straighten the line and even the grade of the P. & R. R. Ry. on the Bartlett grade between Hartford and Canton.

## WEST MINOT.

Mrs. Everett of Poland is at work for A. F. DeCoster.

L. P. York was in Lewiston a few days, last week, on business.

Mrs. Augusta Rand is at her brother's, Fred Dimock's, for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Atwood of Auburn spent, last week, at Fred Dimock's.

Cyrus Allen of Auburn was the guest of his brother, H. E. Allen, one day last week.

H. W. Beare has sold his four-year-old colt, Rodric, to Fred Scott of South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan York of Raymond visited his brother, L. P. York, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Rand and daughter of Danville spent the Sabbath at Fred Dimock's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perkins of Massachusetts spent last week with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Perkins.

W. J. Law, the station agent, is on a visit to his folks in East Fairfield, Vt. Mr. Palmer of Sumner is taking his place in the station, while he is away.

Saturday night was Children's night at the Grange. There was a very good program carried out by the children, and games until a late hour. Candy and peanuts were served for treat.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Harlow and three children of Auburn and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Goodwin and daughter of Mechanic Falls, are here Saturday night and Sunday with their mother, Mrs. E. A. Atwood.

## NORTHWEST ALBANY.

Edward B. Mason is working for Douglass Cushing in Mason ploughing.

Daniel Bellefontaine came from Boston, Mass., Monday, returning on Tuesday.

N. W. Bennett is working for F. H. Bennett, is to work a part of the summer.

Moody Scribner has finished work for Hastings Brothers and is now staying at N. W. Bennett's.

Andrew Stiles from Norway has been up to visit the cemetery and he brought some beautiful plants to set out.

## GROVER HILL.

Julia Carter visited her sister's school here, Friday.

## What are Humors?

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### WEST PARIS.

Mrs. C. H. Lane is visiting her sister at Andover.  
Mrs. B. E. Dennen is doing housework for John Lurvey.  
Mrs. Frank Farnum went to Portland, Wednesday.  
Will Shedd of Portland is visiting at Levi Shedd's.  
Levi Shedd is suffering somewhat with poor health.  
L. F. Willis and family moved to Welchville, May 23.  
Elizabeth Farrar is having a second story put on his house.  
John Brock is helping Walter Carr at the G. T. R. station.  
J. Moody and wife of North Woodstock are visiting Ezra Ridlon.  
Caddie Dunham of North Paris is working for Ezra Ridlon.  
Gertie Stewart returned to her work in Boston, Saturday, May 25.  
Lorina Starbird of South Paris is visiting her sister, Mrs. Davis Curtis.  
Mrs. Arthur Ellingwood and child have been visiting her mother at Cornish.  
We noticed L. B. Andrews and wife of South Paris on our street, one day last week.  
Geo. Ridlon has sold out his interest in the Moore Process Co. to New York parties.  
James Lapham came home from Milton, Friday, May 24, on account of his wife's illness.  
Parker Evans' two daughters from Gorham, N. H., spent Sunday with their father at the hotel.  
A party of young people from Geo. Marshall's have gone camping on South pond, Leek's Mills.  
F. E. Wheeler of the Maine Medical College of Portland spent Sunday, May 28, with Dr. O. K. Yates.  
Nellie Marshall has come from the Central Maine Hospital of Lewiston for a two weeks' vacation.  
Annie Marshall, who has been working in South Framingham, Mass., the past year, is at home once a visit.  
Mrs. Will Pratt and little daughter of South Woodstock have been visiting her husband's parents, Will Pratt and wife, Frank Mooney went to Island Falls, May 24, where he is to be telegraph operator for the Bangor & Aroostook R. R.  
John Murphy of Gorham, N. H., is firing on the G. T. R. engine that is stationed here to help trains up the grade.  
Mrs. Carroll Bacon and little son spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Will Dunham, at Mechanic Falls.  
Mr. Whitman is tearing down his old barn and is going to build a new one on the other side of the road nearer his house.  
F. O. Plummer of Boston, who sold the Oxford Telephone and Telegraph Co. their instruments, was in town, one day last week.  
The Ellingwood brothers are building a house in which to store their gasoline engine until another wood sawing season comes around.  
The blacksmith shop of E. R. Davis was broken into, Thursday night, May 24, and three cents were stolen. A hint for the rest of us to keep on the watch.  
The Norway high school nine are to play with the West Paris boys, Memorial day in the forenoon, and the first and second West Paris nines are to play against each other in the afternoon.  
Mrs. H. R. Tuell went to Portland, Saturday, May 25, to see her father, Jacob Curtis, who went to the Maine General Hospital, a week ago, for a rather critical operation. At the last reports he was doing well.  
Capt. Bolster and others of South Paris are coming here to decorate the soldiers' graves, Memorial day. A procession will be formed on the corner of C. H. Lane's store and march to the cemetery, where there will be speeches by the Captain and others, also patriotic music.

### GRAFTON.

George Otis was in Newry, the first of the week.  
Mrs. Nettie Thompson is working for A. F. Brooks.  
C. F. Parker has hired to work in J. A. Thurston's mill at Swan's Corner, Bethel.  
Carrie Brooks is home from Newry, where she has been working for several weeks.  
Will Pratt, who is working on the I. P. Co.'s drive, was at home a short time, last Sunday.  
Bert Brooks is falling rapidly, yet has confidence of a recovery. He is kindly cared for by his parents and sister, Mertie.  
Rev. Mr. Griffith, the minister at Upton, preaches on Sunday afternoons at the schoolhouse in this town. A Sabbath school was organized, last Sunday, with S. P. Davis superintendent.

### HARBOR.

Lizzie Johnson was at home over Sunday.  
Fred Farrington has finished work in Portland.  
Mrs. Mary Emery is caring for Mrs. Elmer Brackett.  
Mrs. Olen McAllister of Lovell attended church here Sunday.  
Sydney Holmes of Keasarge recently visited relatives in the place.  
Rev. E. Doughty has been driving stage for John Seavey of late.  
Mrs. Marcia Charles of Norway visited her niece, Mrs. Abbie Waterhouse, recently.  
Mr. and Mrs. Will Howe were called to Bridgton, Friday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. H. S. grandmother, Mrs. Leavitt.  
In spite of bad weather, a good crowd attended the ice cream social under the direction of Mrs. D. Bradley, last week, Friday, at the church, enjoyed their ice cream and a pleasant, social time, and listened to the following program:  
Prayer.....Pastor  
Violin solo.....Graham Stanley  
Recitation.....Mrs. Lizzie Harriman  
Selection.....Graphophone  
Recitation.....Raymond Farrington  
Violin solo.....Leon Charles  
Song.....Lillian Davis  
Recitation.....Mrs. Harriman  
Selection.....Graphophone  
Violin solo.....Leon Charles  
Recitation.....Mrs. Harriman  
Selection.....Graphophone  
Every one enjoyed Mrs. Harriman's recitations and wished she was to stay in the place longer.

### ADVERTISED LETTERS, NORWAY.

Mrs. Bertha Holmes, Mrs. Mary A. Whitney, Mrs. Lucy A. Woods, Frank Keenan, El. C. West, Mr. Murphy.

### BRYANT'S FOND.

I understand there are over forty regular boarders at the hotel.  
Mrs. Cordelia Bacon visited friends at Bryant's Pond and vicinity, last week.  
Mann's mill is doing a rushing business now, and we learn that Capt. Dearborn also has all the orders he can attend to at present.  
Harry Crockett is making extensive repairs and additions to his house and will have one of the finest looking homes in the village when completed.  
Alton Bacon and Jerry Farrar have been putting a gable on the west side of Geo. Stephens' store, the past week.  
Alton goes to Hamilton's Gore to finish some rooms for Ed. Bean, this week.  
A large crowd of men and horses are at work in town cutting and hauling big trees to the railroad, where they are loaded and taken to Portland for piling. It opens quite a market for our lumber and makes business lively all around.

### ALFRED ROGERS AND WIFE ARE IN MALDEN, MASS.

Mrs. Edith Bryant of Lewiston was in town, Saturday.  
Mann's saw mill has been running a few days sawing out long lumber.  
Walter Young and family of Norway have been visiting friends here.  
The Farnum property on the corner owned by Alden Chase has been sold to Stillman Morse of Rumford Point.  
Mrs. Larrabee of Alfred died at the home of A. C. Ricker, Sunday at 4 p. m. She was a sister of Mrs. Ricker and came to visit her about three weeks ago.

### HARRISON.

J. H. Tolman of Westbrook visited his mother, last week.  
There will be an entertainment at the F. B. church, Saturday evening, June 1.  
Winnie Wyman of Fryburg is visiting friends in Harrison and North Bridgton.  
Will Davis and Jesse Purington from the New Bridgton House spent Sunday at their respective homes.  
A few of the young people of this town attended the sophomore social at North Bridgton, Saturday evening, May 25.  
The Memorial day exercises will be held at the Calvinist church at 10 a. m., Thursday. The address will be given by Mr. Hayden of Augusta.  
Charlie Lang, while riding home from his school in South Harrison, Thursday afternoon, was thrown from his wheel, injuring his leg quite badly. He is able to get around with the aid of a cane. His wheel was damaged considerably. The accident was due to a hole in the road.  
The sermon delivered before the G. A. A. at the Calvinist Baptist church, at 4:30 p. m., Sunday, by the Rev. Mr. Philbrook of Bridgton was well attended. The subject of the sermon was the Cross and the Flag. The choir of the Congregational church rendered appropriate music.  
May 22, a convention of the teachers of the town of Harrison and neighboring towns was held at the town hall, Harrison. It consisted of a forenoon and afternoon session, both of which were well attended. The following is the program:  
FORENOON, 9:30 O'CLOCK.  
Benefits Derived from Teachers' Meetings.....Mrs. F. B. Rounds, Waterford  
Teaching exercise.....Emma Proctor, Harrison  
Reading.....Lillian M. Libby, Bridgton  
A Type of Nature Work.....Julia Merrill, Waterford  
Address.....Hon. W. W. Stetson, Superintendent  
Public Schools.....Hon. W. W. Stetson, Superintendent  
Advantages of Normal Training.....Josephine Williams, Bridgton  
Question box.....Hon. W. W. Stetson  
AFTERNOON, 1:30 O'CLOCK.  
Drills.....Harrison schools  
Penny Savings in Schools.....Myrtle E. Abbott, Bridgton  
Picture of a School Superintendent.....Superintendent George S. Pitts, Harrison  
High School Course.....Hortense E. Wales, Bridgton  
Butteries and Moths.....Mr. C. A. Perry  
The Teachers We Need.....Superintendent A. E. Libby, M. D., Waterford  
Address.....Hon. W. W. Stetson

### BUCKFIELD.

A. A. Farrar, Jr. of Brockton is visiting his parents.  
Capt. C. H. Prince is booked, Memorial day, to speak at Peru.  
Shelly is the subject of Rev. Mr. Munson's lecture for June 5.  
John March was in Lewiston, Friday and Saturday, after material for the library.  
June 18th and 19th, the County Lodge of the W. C. T. U. is to be held at this place.  
Bank commissioner, Chas. E. Hatch of Doering, came to town, Sunday, on an automobile.  
Chas. E. Hatch and Ralph Morrill caught a 20 inch salmon and a lone pike at Bear Mountain, Monday.  
Mrs. Lucy Skillings left, Tuesday, for her annual trip to Biddeford to visit friends and to decorate the grave of her soldier husband.  
Memorial services were held at the Baptist church, Sunday. Rev. Mr. Turner delivered a fine and appropriate discourse, as per report.  
From present appearances the occasion of entertainment by the resident lodge of Rebekahs of lodges from other points, to-night, will be put to soak.  
Can any one tell me if there is any difference in these birds, the orioles? They are more plenty than common and some incline strongly to red, while others are purely orange.  
The library work is slumbering on account of non-arrival of shingles and the rain. When was there ever so much wet weather? Farmers on moist land are all at sea. While living at my present home, nine years, there has been nothing like it.  
A game of base ball came off here, Saturday, between the Buckfield Jr. and Canton, 25 to 14 in favor of Canton. No one viewing the contestants would have supposed that the small kids of Buckfield had any showing, but it proved otherwise. To see little Leslie Washburn, scarcely large enough to fill the cage behind the bat, was an exhibition of pluck.

### EAST OXFORD.

Will S. Thayer of Auburn was in this place, Sunday.  
Ernest Nichols and Pearl Needham of East Hebron were at P. J. Billings', Sunday.  
Edith Palmer of Whitefield, N. H., is the spot for Mr. Clifton Johnson, and illustrate an article in the June Magazine Number of The Outlook by Mr. Washington called "Chickens, Eggs and People." In this article Mr. Washington tells about his pigs and rabbits and horse and garden work at Tuskegee.

### SOUTH WATERFORD.

Frank Sanderson has lost a horse.  
No Memorial Day exercises in this town.  
There was a Universalist circle at the hall, last Friday night.  
Brickett & Wiggins are enlarging the main floor of their store.  
Mrs. Abbie Adams has been quite sick. Is reported as better.  
Charles Nelson came from Conway on his bike, last Wednesday, to visit friends here.  
It is reported that there will be preaching at the M. E. church, this summer.  
Large strings of perch and hornpouts are being taken from Bear lake, this spring.  
Eugene Nelson of Conway, formerly of Waterford, is visiting friends and relatives here.  
Prof. George L. Kimball and family of Canton, N. Y., are expected back to Waterford, about the middle of next June.  
C. P. Riggs has sold his farm to a Mr. Green of Bolster's Mills. He put an advertisement in the ADVERTISER, and sold, the next week.  
The farmers here are not so eager to sign for the corn packing industry as in former years. There has been some dissatisfaction in regard to the weight and test of the corn brought in.  
Last Sunday, we had the pleasure of listening to a very able sermon, delivered by Rev. H. A. Philbrook at the Universalist church. There will be no preaching, next Sabbath, June 2d, as the pastor is going away for a short season.

### BROWNFIELD.

F. P. Meserve returned from Bridgton, Saturday.  
Alvin Perkins is making repairs on his buildings.  
There will be a meeting of the Universalist parish, June 8.  
Fred Fogg is visiting his mother and sisters, for a few days.  
Everett Graffam of Baldwin is visiting friends and relatives here.  
Mrs. Fanny E. Burnell visited relatives at North Fryburg recently.  
Leroy Gray and wife from Freedom visited relatives here recently.  
Dr. H. F. Fitch and wife visited his brother Fred at Sebago, Sunday.  
Mrs. Francis Harmon is working at Reuben Lissoett's, caring for Mrs. E. W. Cole.  
Mrs. Anne Lynch of Washington, C., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Bean.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Roberts have returned from their visit. Mr. Roberts' health is much improved.  
Mrs. Alice Pittman and her sister, Jennie Goldthwaite, are at Perley Brown's. Mrs. Pittman is in an invalid and is staying here for her health.  
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Blake and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Adams went to Hiram, Wednesday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Charles Lowell.  
The Memorial Day exercises will be held at the Town Hall, Thursday May 30th, at 2 p. m. The address will be delivered by Rev. Newton Olough on the subject, Government and Monopolists. The parade, composed of the audience and school children led by the soldiers of Daniel A. Bean Post, will march to the various cemeteries, where appropriate services will be held.

### WILLIAM ANDERSON HAS A NEW WHEEL.

The outlook is good for a large hay crop.  
Frank Grey saw two deer in the road, recently.  
Mrs. Nancy Grey visited Mrs. Parsons, one day last week.  
Simoon Eaton has bought the timber on the lot owned by the heirs of Nathaniel Towle.  
They are organizing a Grange here, which we think will be a good thing for the farmers.  
Alfred Eastman and son were through here, a few days ago, looking for a good driving horse.  
John Tibbetts has torn down his chimney and built him a new one. He has also shingled his house.  
Working on the road is the order of the day. The road machine is drawn by six horses, owned and driven by Will Mudgett.  
Went Eaton has bought one-half of Levi Seavey's barn and put it on the end of his, which gives him much needed room. Went is one of our progressive farmers. Mr. Seavey has put the remainder of his barn on the end of his shed, which being removed gives him a nice view of the road.

### WELCHVILLE.

John Rowe is at home for a few days from Auburn.  
R. F. Staples attended the Undertakers' Association at Portland, last Wednesday.  
E. H. Boynton and family called at R. F. Staples', Sunday. Mr. B. took the afternoon train for Berlin, N. H., and Mrs. B. with the children remained until Monday, then started for Cumberland to visit her mother for a few weeks.

### SWEDEN.

The potato beetles are very plenty.  
Ethel Jacobs is teaching school in district No. 5. She is liked very much. Every prospect of an excellent term.  
Hon. A. P. Gordon and wife visited his cousins, C. G. and W. H. Gordon, one day, last week. Mr. G. spent a part of the day angling for trout. He succeeded in catching some thirty or more beauties.  
NORTHWEST NORWAY.  
Chandler Merrill is at work for Harry Greenland.  
Everett Kimball has been to Waterford to visit his sister.  
Albion Buck from Norway Lake recently visited his son Walter.  
Mrs. Sawyer has been at work at Dr. Walker's, a few days, cleaning house.  
Mrs. A. A. Rolfe has papered the walls of her sitting-room and white-washed it overhead.  
Bertrand McFintie passed through the place with some nice looking stock that he bought in Greenwood and Woodstock, a few days since.

### VERY INTERESTING ARE THE PICTURES SHOWING MR. BOOKER T. WASHINGTON AMONG HIS LIVESTOCK AND IN THE WOODS AT TUSKEGEE, WHICH WERE PHOTOGRAPHED ON THE SPOT BY MR. CLIFTON JOHNSON, AND ILLUSTRATE AN ARTICLE IN THE JUNE MAGAZINE NUMBER OF THE OUTLOOK BY MR. WASHINGTON CALLED "CHICKENS, EGGS AND PEOPLE." IN THIS ARTICLE MR. WASHINGTON TELLS ABOUT HIS PIGS AND RABBITS AND HORSE AND GARDEN WORK AT TUSKEGEE.

### SUNDAY RIVER.

Lewis Eames has been sending potatoes to Berlin, N. H.  
Julian Stowe is driving a team for Lin Bartlett at Bryant's Pond.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Kendall visited at J. R. Spinney's, last Sunday.  
Rev. W. H. Congdon held services at the upper schoolhouse, last Sunday evening.  
J. L. Dyer, associate principal of Gould academy was in this place, last Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Spinney have commenced housekeeping in Will Williamson's house.  
C. B. Foster and daughter Mabel arrived here, last Saturday. Mr. Foster returned to Boston, Monday. Mabel will remain here for the summer.

### OXFORD CONGREGATIONAL CONFERENCE.

The program for the annual meeting at Gilead, Tuesday and Wednesday, June 11-12, is:  
TUESDAY FORENOON.  
11:45 Devotional.....  
11:50 Business.....  
11:55 Sermon.....Rev. Bates S. Rideout, Norway  
TUESDAY AFTERNOON.  
2:00 Prayers and praise service.....  
Rev. Frank E. Rand, Bethel, Oxford county missionary.  
2:15 Topic—The Relation of the Church to the Present Time.....Rev. Arthur.....  
2:25 Topic—Co-operative Congregationalism.....  
Discussion.....  
(a) How far Practicable.....  
Rev. William E. Brooks, East Sumner  
(b) What Might We Expect in the Way of Results?.....  
Rev. Frederic E. Newport, Oxford  
Discussion.....  
3:25 Topic—How can the Church Best Reach Men?.....Rev. William C. Adams, Berlin  
Discussion.....  
4:10 Woman's Missionary Meeting.....  
TUESDAY EVENING.  
7:00 Song service.....  
7:45 Discourse.....  
Rev. Charles H. Daniels, D. D., Boston  
WEDNESDAY FORENOON.  
9:00 Devotional.....Rev. B. S. Rideout  
9:30 Business and Reports of Churches.....  
10:00 Report of our Missionary.....  
10:30 Missionary Address.....Rev. A. M. A. A.  
11:10 Topics.....  
(a) The Place of the Sunday School in the Work of the Church.....  
(b) The Place of the Y. P. C. E. in the Work of the Church.....  
Rev. J. A. Vawter, Andover  
Discussion.....  
WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.  
1:45 Sermon.....  
Rev. J. A. Vawter, Andover  
Rev. J. A. Vawter, Andover  
Rev. J. A. Vawter, Andover  
Adjournment.....  
One fare on railroad from Berlin or Mechanic Falls and way stations.

### EAST DENMARK.

Henry Gustin is buying and skipping eggs to Boston.  
D. E. Evans, who has been very sick, seems to be improving.  
Percy Merrill of Sebago dined at T. S. Lowell's, Sunday.  
Corn Hale, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, seems to be out of danger.  
Lee Adams saw a fine deer quietly feeding in Henry Gustin's field, a few days ago.  
School in the Lowell district has been closed almost two weeks, in consequence of a case of scarlet fever at Henry Smith's. The family has been quarantined.

### LOVELL.

P. B. Walker has sold his horse to J. W. Howe.  
Frank Harmon and wife were at M. A. Charles' over Sunday.  
Frank Durgin of Sweden is hauling birch to the mill with four horses.  
O. E. Andrews has put a new roof on his stable and has it all ready to shingle.  
C. H. Davis has bought the vacant lot of J. H. Walker and will put up a set of buildings on the same.  
E. H. Witham is in his new shop, and when he gets the outside finished will have a good large shop with plenty of room.  
WENTWORTH LOCATION, N. H.  
Clark Thurston was in town, recently.  
Mrs. J. E. Littlehale is on the sick list.  
Mrs. Sheridan Lary is sick with the measles.  
Owen Crimmins' house caught fire, the other day.  
N. W. Bennett has been quite sick but is some better now.  
Mrs. Ethel York has been visiting Mrs. Nell Patterson.  
George Horro's crew came over from Middle Dam, Sunday.  
George Bennett and Fred Bennett have gone to Bethel on a visit.  
Fred McCloud got his head hurt very badly by a falling limb in the woods.  
Owen Crimmins went to Middle Dam and back Saturday afternoon. He went homeback.  
Nellie Littlehale has gone back to her work at Bethel where she has worked for over a year.  
Barret Gates had his back hurt very badly by being thrown off a farm wagon and striking on the hub.  
Ashton Wilson, while working for M. D. Sturtevant in the poplar woods, had the misfortune to get his collar bone broken.

### SOUTH CONWAY, N. H.

Ernest Davidson killed a large beef cow, the 20th.  
May Cole of Centre Conway spent Sunday as the guest of A. T. Cole and wife.  
Alamando Morton and wife of Boston are visiting relatives and friends, here. P. G. Cole and sons, Samuel and Franklin of Conway, visited his brother Andrew, Saturday.  
Herbert Morton and family have returned from Quincy, Mass., where they have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alamando Morton.  
Sherman McDonald and wife and son called on friends, Sunday. They have a very smart boy. They were on their way home to Brownfield.  
S. C. Hatch has been having a job of painting and papering done. Mr. Byron Bradeen of Brownfield did the work. It is called a nice job of work.  
John A. Garland and wife, who are working in Jackson, were in the place, Sunday, as the guests of his father, Albra Garland. They made calls on quite a number of friends.  
Fred Garland, who is working at North Conway, was here, Sunday, to see his wife and baby, who are stopping at John Willey's. Ernest Emerson and wife of Stow also called to see Mrs. Fred Garland, who is her sister.

### WEST BETHEL.

Mrs. J. E. Pike is very poorly, doesn't sit up much.  
M. Oreilly has lost his dog. It was killed by the cars.  
Leland Waterhouse was here on a visit to his father, last Sunday.  
Charles Connor of Albany was at Charles Valentine's, last Sunday.  
Mrs. Herbert Mason called on her friend, Alice E. Potter, last Sunday.  
A. J. Haskell has got the old house moved and it now sets where it is to be repaired.  
Henry Stiles has been sick with a bad cold and gripe, not able to do much work for several days.  
Martha E. Dennison, a student at Bates College, is at home with her parents in this village, this week.  
N. B. Bean and wife and three daughters of Ridgville were here and stayed over Sunday with Mr. Bean's sister, Carrie Goodnow.  
Thad Luskton and family have moved out on the flat into the D. F. Bean house now owned by Mrs. L. E. Bean. They have several friends who were sorry to have them move from the village.  
Charles Kendall and wife and daughter Dorothy from Rochester, N. H., also John and Fannie and Bert Kendall of Lovell were the guests of their sister, Mrs. W. C. Bennett, last Sunday. This is the first time that all the brothers and sisters of the family have been together for several years.

### FRYBURG CENTER.

F. L. Hobbs is in poor health.  
John A. Farrington and wife of Lovell were at F. L. Hobbs', Sunday.  
Annetta Abbott and Frank Gordon recently visited his brother in Bridgton.  
Barnes Gordon and wife from Bridgton spent Saturday night and Sunday in town.  
Harriet G. Barker has gone to the village to spend the week with Mrs. Chas. Smith.  
Susan T. Buzzell has been spending the past two weeks with schoolmates and friends at Toll Bridge.  
Julian Rebekah Lodge, No. 12, I. O. O. F., have organized a degree team. Frank Benson of Bridgton has been engaged to instruct them.

### BYRON.

Geo. Ladd's family have the measles.  
Mrs. Nettie Swett has moved into Swain & Reed's boarding-house at Hop City.  
P. D. Thayer had a little calf run away into the woods and was gone nearly a week before he got him again.  
Fishing in the brooks is not very good yet. Several have been to Garland pond and have got a few trout there.  
Joe Deille returned home from the hospital at Lewiston, last week. He was injured at the lakes, last March, and has been at the hospital ever since.  
The trestle on the R. F. & R. L. R. R. near Gum Corner will be filled soon. They will use a steam shovel. They will also move the depot nearer the settlement.  
Quite a number of gold miners have come to town, this spring, and are working on the east branch. N. B. Jackson of Rumford has returned and is mining on Swift river below his camp. Mr. Jackson worked on Indian river, Canada, nearly all of last season.

### TO THE MEMORY OF.

Corn E. Austin.  
She was like a pale young flower,  
A bud of the springtime fair,  
Her life like a flower pure and brief,  
Her sweetness as true and rare.  
She was not made to battle  
'Neath the hot midsummer's sun;  
So, ere the strife and heat came on,  
God told us her work was done.  
Like the perfume of some lost flower  
That lingers yet in the room,  
The memory of her presence  
Lifts our hearts from deepest gloom.  
We remember, Oh, how gently  
She did her work, and well,  
With never a word of complaining,  
Till she drooped by the wayside and fell.  
While we in sorrow mourn her,  
We know it is all for the best,  
That God took home his tired child  
And has given her perfect rest.  
B. B. T.

### DEATHS.

In West Peru, May 18, Xavier Martin.  
In South Paris, May 24, Vaughn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Clark, aged 11 years.  
In Rumford Falls, May 13, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tibbetts, aged 2 months.  
In Waterford, May 26, Charles H. Hodgdon, aged 69 years.  
In South Hiram, May 17, Hon. Samuel D. Wadsworth, aged 71 years, 7 months, 13 days.  
In Hiram, May, Mrs. Marietta, wife of Charles Lovell.  
In Hiram, May, George H. Rankin.  
In Scribner's Mills, May 24, Hannah, wife of A. S. Bixby.  
In Paris, May 14, Carl, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman McKee, aged 22 days.  
In Paris, May 22, Mrs. Eunice C., widow of W. W. Hardy, aged 65 years.  
In Kezar Falls, May 23, Fred McDonald, aged 65 years.  
In Brownfield, May 21, Frank Hart.

### DEATHS.

In Brownfield, May 22, to the wife of F. R. Bradbury, a son.  
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### GILEAD.

J. W. Bennett's mill is down for a few days on repairs.  
Ralph Peabody and family visited relatives and friends in Shelburne, N. H., Sunday.  
Mrs. Minnie Chaplin has been suffering with attack of poison on the face and hands.  
Mrs. A. L. Bennett and little boy went to Bethel, Monday, accompanied by Mrs. Armstrong.  
The Mountain Rills entertainment will be postponed until Friday night, on account of bad weather. A fine time is expected.  
J. W. Bennett's cow hooked Mrs. M. J. Bennett's cow quite badly, one day in the past week. It is feared she will not be of much use.  
Smallpox is raging quite badly. We think that all possible means should be taken to stop people coming from Berlin to our little town.

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### TO THE MEMORY OF.

Corn E. Austin.  
She was like a pale young flower,  
A bud of the springtime fair,  
Her life like a flower pure and brief,  
Her sweetness as true and rare.  
She was not made to battle  
'Neath the hot midsummer's sun;  
So, ere the strife and heat came on,  
God told us her work was done.  
Like the perfume of some lost flower  
That lingers yet in the room,  
The memory of her presence  
Lifts our hearts from deepest gloom.  
We remember, Oh, how gently  
She did her work, and well,  
With never a word of complaining,  
Till she drooped by the wayside and fell.  
While we in sorrow mourn her,  
We know it is all for the best,  
That God took home his tired child  
And has given her perfect rest.  
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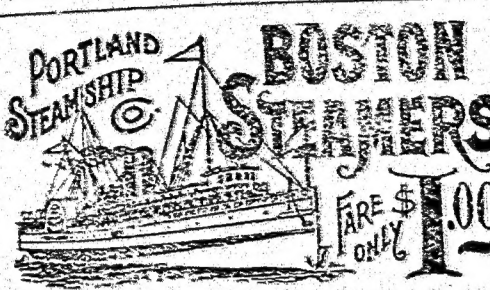
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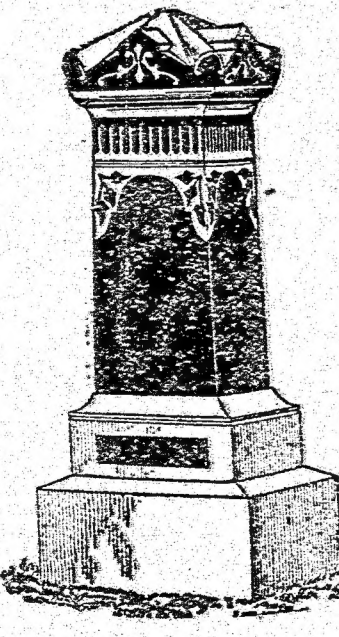
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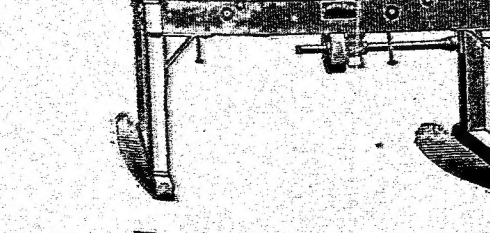
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HARRISON, MAINE.

## No Dread of Death.

Testimony of the Dying that They Have No Fear.

If there is such a thing as being an authority on death, Thomas H. Andrews, surgeon to the Bureau of Police and Fire, should rank high as an expert. He says the Philadelphia Press. In the course of thirty-seven years of active practice he has conducted over four thousand post mortem examinations and has seen, at least half that number of human beings die.

He talked freely on the subject of death, yesterday. He has looked into the eyes of dying men and women and children of every kind and condition, and this is the summing up of it all:

"Death is as much of a mystery to me now as it was when I first saw a human being die."

"Nature is never so kind to man as when she is severing the ties that bind him to this earthly life. She removes all fear, ameliorates every harsh surrounding, softens every sound and smooths the narrow pathway to the grave with kindly hands. The easiest thing in life is to die."

"In your experience, Dr. Andrews," I asked, "have you ever found a case in which fear of death rose to the point where men fought and screamed at its approach?"

"Never. In severe sickness death comes in the guise of a welcome visitor. On the battlefield or as the result of accident or sudden shock, when it comes to a man swiftly, who but a moment before was in perfect health and half an hour later will be dead, a fortitude which I cannot describe and have never been able to analyze sustains the victim."

"Do men and women of the higher grades of intelligence exhibit any different emotions as death approaches from those gifted with less mental power?" Does the professional man or the scientist betray any different feelings or emotions from those exhibited by the day laborer or the most ignorant of men?"

"No and yes," was the reply. "The scientist, the man or woman of keen intelligence and trained faculties, must feel that death is a relief, for it is an exhibition of faith in religion and its teachings, are slower to accept ministrations of clergymen and others. The man of low intelligence yields at the first approach and calls for religious consolation."

"The reason for this, I think, that the vast majority of professional men, outside of the clergy, and particularly doctors and scientists generally, are not inclined to believe or accept what they cannot demonstrate as a scientific fact. And yet, as a rule, these men and women willingly accept religious ministrations when death is only a matter of hours."

"I recall an instance during the war. One of the most distinguished men in the Confederacy was brought to me for treatment. I saw at once that his death was a matter of hours only. He was one of the most brilliant and charming men I ever met. I told him that he could not live and asked him if he desired to talk with a clergyman. He refused to talk with a clergyman, but he did not feel disposed to change his views—that death, as he believed, ended all and there was no use of dragging religion in at the last hour. He then felt strong and clear headed. When I saw him in the afternoon he was weaker and referring to our earlier conversation told me that he had been raised in the Methodist faith and that its teachings had left an impression on his mind. He had left an impression on a Methodist clergyman which I did. When I saw him just before he died he told me what comfort the talk with the minister had given him and that he now would face death with a braver heart than he could have done before."

"I merely cite this instance," said Dr. Andrews, "to show that there is nothing which influences a man so much in later life, and even in the death hour, as the environment and teaching of his childhood days. Jimmy Logan, the boyhood days of a man, told me the notorious burglar and criminal, told me in my office that a night never went over his head that he did not kneel down and say his prayers."

"Has there ever been any demonstration, physical or otherwise, on the part of all the hundreds of whom you have seen on the threshold of death which you could interpret as a positive indication of a future life?"

"Not one."

"Have you ever encountered instances in which dying persons have told you of visions which they have seen, of voices they have heard?"

"Yes. I recall particularly one instance. It was that of a man who had recently died, but revived for a little time before he finally passed away. He told me about the lights and sounds and chaos of magnificent things he had seen, 'beyond the river' as he put it. Of course, he really believed that he saw them, but it was the hallucination of his disordered brain. Persons of fervid imagination and strong religious convictions may be dominated by some illusion of this kind prior to death. It cannot be regarded as convincing evidence of a future life."

Dr. Andrews, it may be remarked, is a churchman with strong religious views. He explained in connection with the above statement that he was speaking purely from a scientific standpoint. Men and women in extreme condition, cannot be regarded as furnishing reliable testimony of the evidence of their senses.

"I have found," continued Dr. Andrews, "that persons of clean life, of honorable, upright religious character not only do not display an indifference to the approach of death, as those of grosser life do, but welcome it as a relief from care and toil. There is something about the approach of death that reconciles men to it. The senses are dulled, the perceptive faculties are blunted and the end comes quietly, painlessly."

"In this condition, I mean on the approach of death, those who retain their faculties to any degree become more or less philosophers. They know that death is inevitable, and they accept the question of hours, and they accept the verdict without any demonstration or perturbation in a philosophical way. In all my experience I have never found a case in which a dying man or woman complained against the inevitable, attempting to fight its approach or even feared it."

"It is only in good health that we fear death. When we become ill, when we have sustained some injury of a serious nature, the fear of death seems to disappear."

"The one great unsolved problem, before which science thus far has stood disarmed, is the secret and the mystery

of the origin of life. Side by side with it I may say is the mystery of death. I have never seen, and I have never heard of any authentic evidence from the deathbed of any one, which could be accepted as scientific proof of the existence of a life beyond.

"That is a matter of faith. It has been a matter of faith through all the ages, and I believe that it will be a matter of faith to the end of time. I have, as I said before, discovered this, that the men and women of the purest lives and the strongest faith exhibit that fact conspicuously in their last hours, and in a manner that undoubtedly tends to rob death of even the semblance of terror."

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## Children's Corner.

Bethel, Me., May 19, 1901.  
DEAR EDITOR:—It is a pleasant day. I am going to school now. My teacher's name is Cora Farwell. I like her. We have got thirty chickens in all. I will send a verse:

Jesus, our Saviour, because Thou didst die,  
Rise from the grave and ascend up on high;  
I shall rise, also, forever to be  
Holy and happy in Heaven with Thee.

Good-bye,  
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## How Are Your Kidneys?

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East Stoneham, Me., May 18, 1901.  
DEAR EDITOR:—I have come to live with my Grandmother, this summer. Since I have been here, I have read the letters that the boys and girls write for the Advertiser, and like them very much.

I was born in Ennis, Florida, and am 12 years old. My home has been in Lynn, Mass., since I was a year old.

I went to school in Lynn and studied geography, reading, writing, language, arithmetic, spelling, drawing and music.

I went to Sunday school. My teacher's name was Miss Goodwin. I also belong to the Juniors. We had a meeting, every Sunday afternoon, at 4 o'clock.

I have seen some sheep and a lot of little lambs. Wednesday, I picked my first mayflowers, never saw any growing in the fields before. They do not grow around Lynn.

I like to read very much, have some books of my own, and when I am at home I take books out of the public library.

My aunt, Laura E. Hill, is at home on her vacation. Will close with a conundrum:—What is the most ancient of trees? Your friend,

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## The Woods in May.

"Go forth under the open sky  
And let to Nature's teachings."

Leave housecleaning and all the cares of housekeeping, "play," as the children do, that it is all done, and go out and walk over mother Nature's carpet of soft green meadows and pine needles. Inhale, long and deep, the sweet spring air. Look about for the "wild and woody things," that, under their warm white blanket, have been for so many months waiting to grow.

Last week, the last sprays of the arbutus could be found in shady nooks. Many of the clusters had lost some of their waxy blossoms, some were tinged with the decaying brown, but the spicy odor was there. "April flowers," they might almost be called, for they generally are all in bloom before the arrival of "Merrie May." A few miles farther inland they are not to be found to any extent. Here let a protest be uttered against the ruthless tearing up of this beautiful plant. It has nearly died out in many places for this reason. A pair of old scissors should be used to cut the flower stalk from the trailing stem.

The dogtooth violet and bloodroot, which are the earliest flowers in some regions, are not often found in this locality. The arbutus is our first spring blossom.

The liver-leaf hepatica triloba, first specimen of the Crowfoot family, makes patches of ground under the pine trees fairly blue with its dainty blossoms, making one fairly greedy to gather every one of them.

Club mosses with their vivid green foliage grow like little trees all about. It requires a goodly stock of imagination to think of the time when these were the immense trees that formed, when buried in the earth, many of our coal beds.

The tiny white violet, growing scarcely an inch from the ground, the first of its species, very nearly escaped observation.

We found the bellwort with its pale yellow bells, the "wild oats" of our childhood.

Trilliums are abundant, both the red, trillium erectum, and the pretty painted variety. Well we remember the joy of our childish hearts when we discovered these beauties and were told they were "Benjamins."

Another member of the Crowfoot family, the grove anemone, anemone nemorosa, with its one pale, nodding little flower, may be found along the margin of our woods. This little "spring flower," got this name because it was thought to open only when the wind blows.

We must not forget the children's joy, the gay little dandelion, making the fields and roadsides bright. Nor the tiny bluebells, hushabout, making white patches all over the fields.

Make a pilgrimage, each week, and see "the green things a-growing." Take the children along and teach them to observe the beauty of the common things binary.

Give them some "Nature study" from Nature herself, which will far exceed all the lessons of the best textbooks. They will make many discoveries and learn much of botany without knowing it.

Let them make useful things will bloom next month, better than anything they have found, so easily determined by their petals, all-veined leaves. Perhaps you will find some home a little weary of thought will be beneficial and useful, and every-day duties will take on new meanings.

## NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been appointed Administratrix of the estate of

AL J. ROWE, late of Norway, in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given to the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and one, for settlement, and all interested parties are requested to make payment immediately.

May 21st, 1901. MARY A. ROWE.

## PROBATE NOTICES.

To all persons interested in either of the estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and one, for settlement, and all interested parties are requested to make payment immediately.

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested in the estate of George E. Austin, deceased, by the publication of this notice in the OXFORD COUNTY ADVERTISER, a newspaper published at Norway, in said county, that held at said Paris on the third Tuesday of June, A. D. 1901, at the clock in the fore noon, and be heard thereon if they see cause to the contrary.

M. ELLA CROCKETT, late of Marietta, Georgia, deceased, certified copy of will and petition for allowance thereof, presented by C. N. Tubbs.

PHILEAS BIRD, late of Paris, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof, presented by Otta A. Bird, the executor therein named.

JAMES IRISH, late of Stow, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof, presented by Betsey D. Irish, the executrix therein named.

THOMAS AUSTIN, late of Norway, deceased; final account of George E. Austin, executor of the last will and testament of said Thomas Austin, presented by George E. Austin, late of said Norway, deceased; presented for allowance,—also petition for distribution presented by the same.

HARRIET PRASON, late of Buckfield, deceased; account presented for allowance by Alvin Prason, administrator.

SARAH A. HAPGOOD, late of Waterford, deceased; petition for the appointment of and Freeman being an adult heir, presented by Melville M. Hamlin, a creditor.

ADDISON E. HERRICK, Judge of said Court. A true copy—A. D. PARK, Register.

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Mr. Thomas and his family were not awakened and knew nothing of the occurrence until aroused by the excited voices of their neighbors.

Frank P. Thomas and Fernando M. Thomas pursued them into the woods and located them at Roxbury. Fearing to make an attempt to arrest them unaided they sent word to Rumford Falls and deputy sheriffs H. L. Elliott and Fred A. Porter went to their assistance.

On the way a number of recruits were gathered and when they arrived in Roxbury the woods were surrounded. Then the line was drawn in gradually and when they reached the center of the woods the men were found. They resisted strongly and several shots were fired before they surrendered. Both the men were armed and one of them also had a razor.

The two men arrested were taken to Rumford Falls, where they gave their names as Robert McLean and John Jenkins and said their homes were in Detroit, Mich. A grip containing \$600 worth of postage stamps and nearly \$400 was taken from them. The contents was identified as the plunder taken from Andover post-office. They were to be arraigned in the Municipal Court on Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lane of West Paris are visiting N. D. Abbott's family at South Andover. Mr. Lane has come to the Lakes. Mrs. Lane remained with her sister, Mrs. Abbott. We are glad to hear Mrs. Lane is entirely recovered from injuries sustained last winter.

The new chairs have arrived for the vestry of the new Universalist church, the lamps are ready and a cooking stove has been put into the kitchen. Everything is in readiness for the social on Tuesday evening. Rev. Manley B. Townsend with his wife and child will be present at that time.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Congregational church has met and made a start to prepare for the meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. Local Union to be held here, June 25. The address of welcome is given by E. M. Bailey. A paper on prayer to be read by Mrs. J. E. Talbot. W. Newhall, J. L. Bailey and Mrs. C. A. Andrews were appointed a committee on entertainment. Mrs. M. A. H. Howard with all the sisters in active membership was appointed to serve as dinner committee.

At same meeting the society voted to raise \$25 for home work of church. Union memorial exercises were held at the Congregational church in this place. The church was beautifully decorated with flags of all sizes and dimensions, burning also with jardiniere of beautiful flowers. The ladies displayed a great deal of taste as well as art. A fine sermon was delivered by Rev. G. B. Hannaford. Text, 2d Chron., 20 chapter, 15th paragraph. Rev. Mr. Hannaford made a few introductory remarks. "I preached in this church 27 years ago today. I am glad to be with you. I belong to a 'fighting family.' One of my great-grandfathers was a Revolutionary soldier and died at the same time of Geo. Washington." Exercises at the cemetery

at 8 p. m. The R. Ps. attended both services in a body with the G. A. R. About thirty graves of comrades were decorated.

**SOUTH ALBANY.**  
Sewell Lyon of Auburn spent Sunday with friends in this place.

Elmer Cordwell is at work for L. H. Burnham of Lynchville.

Harry Sawin and wife have moved home with his father, Henry Sawin.

Mrs. Sewell Abbott of Waterford visited at George Abbott's, last Friday.

Mrs. Lydia Sawin has returned from a short visit among friends in Waterford.

Florence Brown of North Waterford visited her aunt, Mrs. Martha Sawin, last Sunday.

Sadie Henley has finished work for Mrs. J. F. Rice at North Waterford, and is at home.

George Abbott and Ed French have driven their steers to Waterford to pasture in Abbott's and Jordan's pasture.

Bert Bird with his brother, Harry Bird of Biddeford, have been among friends and relatives here and at Albany.

Mrs. Calista Swett and Ethel of Windham are visiting at mother, Mrs. Benlah Abbott. Mrs. Abbott remains about the same.

L. A. Sawin has bought a new buggy of Libby at Norway. Harry Sawin has bought a new beach wagon of Kilgore at Waterford.

Roy Lord has moved on his father's, J. E. Lord's farm. Mr. Lord works at East Waterford and goes to his work with a team in the morning, returning at night.

We understand that the Paris Mfg. Co. has bought a large lot of standing timber, near the Albany Basins and will build a mill on the place. J. W. Dresser has taken the job to cut the timber and haul it to the mill.

**EAST STONEHAM.**  
An accident happened to the engine at North Stoneham, recently. It will probably take several days before it can be put in running order.

Mr. Littlefield has two litters of young pigs, 11 in one, 9 in the other litter. They are beauties, and are some two to three weeks old.

Asa Keniston is to move his family to North Stoneham and Cephas Cobb's family will remove to Albany. Mrs. McKee, Mrs. Cobb's mother, is very low and not expected to live, and it is on this account that the change is made, we presume.

George F. Leppien Post, No. 136, G. A. R., held their principal services on Memorial day at Hunt's corner, Albany, at 10 o'clock a. m. Rev. J. W. Grindle of Lovell Center is to deliver the memorial address in the p. m. The vari-ous ceremonies in the jurisdiction of this Post will be decorated by detailed comrades of the Post. Refreshments will be served in the church vestry at Hunt's Corner.

The family of Henry Bickford, one day the past week, were badly frightened. His daughter, Mrs. Eva Woodbury, was visiting her parents and had her child, a few months old, with her. A bottle of cough medicine had been left by some mistake within reach of the little one, and the child swallowed nearly all the vital contained. The doctor was summoned and gave the best advice possible under the circumstances. Fortunately the medicine did not prove fatal, and the child is out of danger.

As Mrs. Belle McAllister and Lola McKee were on their way to Norway, a few days since, with a team, they came in contact with a pole which had been left in the highway in such a manner that the end of the pole caught in a wheel of the covered buggy. Before it was noticed by the driver in season to prevent a collision Mrs. McAllister, who was driving, was thrown forward against the horse and had her hand injured, besides being severely bruised and shaken. The horse cleared herself from the carriage and ran till caught. The harness and carriage wheel were broken and other damage done.

**WEST STONEHAM.**  
Ed Hutchins lost a sheep, last week, by bears.

Josie Adams of North Stoneham is at work for J. Bartlett of East Stoneham.

Herbert Adams has returned from his trip to Boston and is much improved in health.

Mrs. Edith McAllister and little son Wendell of West Lovell visited at her father's, Wm. Adams', last week.

The cylinder to the engine burst, last week, in the steam mill at North Stoneham, so it is shut down for repairs.

Cephas Cobb, who has been running the boarding house at the steam mill, has moved his family to their home in Albany.

Some of the farmers are waiting to plant fields that are almost covered with water. The apple trees are blossomed very full and look as though we should have a bountiful crop.

**KEZAR FALLS.**  
Surveyors are going over the route for the proposed electric railroad from Cornish station to Kezar Falls and it is understood that the prospect of the road being built is very good. The Ossipee Valley Electric Railroad Co. met in Cornish, May 22d, and organized with the following officers:

President—Artemus F. Pennock.  
Vice-President—Allen Garner.  
Treasurer—Francis A. Hobart.  
Clerk—J. Merrill Lord.

Roy F. Pike, Francis Robb, Walter F. Kins, J. Merrill Lord, E. Brackett, Allen Garner.

Fred McDonald died, May 23, aged 69 years. Services conducted by Rev. F. Potter, were held at his residence on the afternoon of May 25th. Two selections were sung by the choir, Rock of Ages and Abide with Me. Many beautiful flowers were in evidence. Moses Norton, Arthur Hanscom, Cyrus Durgin and Charles Freeman served as bearers.

Mr. McDonald leaves a daughter, several sisters and a brother to mourn his loss. He was a man of kind and genial disposition always ready to lend a helping hand to another and leaves many friends, who will sadly miss him.

**ALBANY.**  
Archie Wilbur is at his father's, H. O. Wilbur's, this week.

Daniel Clark and wife recently visited friends in this place and North Albany.

Harry Bird from Biddeford is staying for a few days with friends in his native town.

Mr. and Mrs. Juddins from North Norway spent Sunday with their son, E. T. Juddins, and wife.

Fred Clark and family were at H. O. Wilbur's, Saturday night, returning to their home at Bolster's Mills, Sunday evening.

A. G. Bean and son have purchased the hillside farm known as Leonard Cummings' place, also the Haskell pasture of Carter Grover.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Briggs entertained their daughter, Mrs. York, and granddaughter, Mrs. Hunt, and two great-grandchildren from Norway, last Sunday.

Plans for Memorial day, in the forenoon will be the decorating of soldiers' graves; dinner in the vestry; J. W. Grindle will deliver the address for the G. A. R. at 3 p. m.

Mrs. A. S. Cole's niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Juddins, and Mrs. Juddins' daughter and friend drove up from Auburn, Saturday, staying over Sunday with Mrs. Juddins' aunts, Mrs. Cole and Mrs. Kimball.

**NORTH FRYEBURG.**  
Rose Hanson is at work for Will Hanson.

Nellie Charles is at work for H. L. Hutchins.

Bert Howard has lately purchased a new house.

Dora Bryant has gone to Intervale to do table work.

Seth Heald, wife and daughter were in town, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bickford of Conway were in town, Sunday.

There is some talk of hiring the new hall here and organizing a Red Men's Lodge.

Charlie Smith has returned from California, where he has been at work all winter.

Mrs. Elwood Bemis, who has been visiting relatives in Conway for several days, returned, Sunday.

The Union circle dedicate their new hall, June 7th. A fine supper, readings, etc., to close with a social dance. For particulars see the hand bills.

**WEST SUMNER.**  
Our frequent rains make it rather bad for farmers with wet farms.

F. R. Barrett of Andover has visited here, May 29th, at John Murch.

The Memorial service at the Baptist church, last Sunday, was well attended.

Geo. Bowker from Lewiston visited his cousin, K. P. Bowker, last week, staying over night.

Mrs. Cynthia Bates is staying with "aunt" Augusta Bates while her son's, C. G. Bates, wife is away visiting Dr. Bates and wife.

Byron Small and son from Farmington have visited here, Capt. and Mrs. Small, and his brother, Daniel Small, this week.

Mrs. L. M. Gurney has improved the inside of the C. E. Handy house, besides making great improvements in the surrounding grounds, clearing away rubbish, leveling off, seeding down and setting out pine trees.

**HEBRON.**  
Prof. H. L. Whitney of Boston is in town.

Mrs. Wallon of Somerville, Mass., is staying at S. F. Cushman's.

Will Miller, a deaf partner were in town, last week, looking after a good horse.

Mr. and Mrs. Burnell of Portland were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Cushman, last Sunday.

The Hebron Academy base ball team defeated the Edward Little nine at Hebron, last Thursday. Score 6 to 2.

Last Saturday, the Hebron Academy nine played with the Bridgtons at Bridgton and were defeated. Score 2 to 1.

Silas P. Maxim of South Paris was in Hebron, last Saturday. Mr. Maxim is making arrangements for the erection of Mrs. Sarah Howe's new house.

Leon Jocelyn and friend of Auburn came up on their wheels, last Thursday, to see the game of ball between the Hebron and Edward Little High School.

George A. Senter of the 1900 class at Hebron Academy passed through the place, Saturday, en route for West Paris, where he preached, Sunday. Mr. Senter is now a student at Bates College.

**OXFORD.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Bumpus went to Poland, Sunday.

Harry Goodyear went to Poland and Lewiston, Thursday.

Hattie Farris and Florence Eaton went to Portland, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Holden and son, Otho, visited friends in Otisfield, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dunbar and children spent Sunday with friends in Richville.

Mrs. Alton Verrill was ill with tonsillitis, last week, and attended by a physician.

Charles Bumpus is improving and repairing the buildings of William Robinson.

S. H. Eaton returned from Boston, Saturday, with a large lot of potted plants.

Leon Walker caught 4 toge on the lake, Friday. He returned to Bowdoin College, Monday.

F. W. Lord, with a friend from Portland, went on a fishing trip up Bear river, last week.

William Lombard has a fine sail boat on the lake and Arthur Record has completed his new cottage.

Mrs. S. H. Eaton and daughter, Florence, and Mrs. Frank Royce went to Portland, Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Mary Bosworth, who has been with relatives in East Sumner for the past year, is now in town and a worker in the woolen mill.

Charles Davis, who is much interested in poultry raising, recently set a hen on 13 eggs and she came off with 15 white, fluffy chicks.

The juvenile base ball team of Oxford played with their little friends from Mechanic Falls, Saturday. Scores 19 to 13 in favor of Mechanic Falls.

Several of our young ladies have pretty costumes in process of construction, which they will wear to the wedding of Marjorie Estes of Auburn, June 5th.

Joseph Jacques gave a house warming at his cottage by the lake, Saturday afternoon. Many of his friends were present and a good time was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keene went on their wheels to West Poland, Sunday. They are improving their buildings, have removed the fence from the yard and will have a hedge in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bumpus, Mrs. Charles Hanscom and Floy Blake went to Norway, Saturday, also Mrs. William Lombard and daughter, Mabel, and Annie Rowe went to Norway, Wednesday of last week.

Col. I. C. Milliken, L. J. Waldron, W. E. Hurlbut, George F. Kavanaugh and Edward C. Walker, all of Portland, were in town enjoying the fishing, several reports last week. A good catch was made.

The Congregational church was very prettily decorated, Sunday, May 20th, and Rev. Frederick Newport preached a very fine memorial sermon. Rev. Arthur Callaghan also preached an excellent memorial sermon at the Methodist church in the morning.

Many people are fixing up the flower beds around their homes. L. L. Bumpus is making some very pretty tubs for lawn decoration. Mrs. F. W. Lord arranged her plants on her outside stairs, last week, some of which are now in bloom. They are beautiful every season.

**NORTH BUCKFIELD.**  
Apple trees are white with blossoms. Lillie Bessey has gone to Sumner on a visit.

Mrs. B. F. Heald is quite poorly, this spring.

Mayberry Mayhew is at work for Carl Heald.

M. F. Bisbee made his folks a visit, last Sunday.

Jim Richards has gone to Jay to work with his horses.

Fred Harlow arrived home from New York, the 18th.

Mert Warren and family went to Turner, last Sabbath.

Fannie Lotthrop and son were at J. E. Mayhew's, the 25th.

George Record and wife were at Jim Bicknell's, last Sunday.

Dr. Heald and wife and little Alice were at Fred Heald's, the 26th.

Mrs. Ella Damon worked for Clinton Mason, two days the past week.

Florian Jordan and wife were at Engene Record's, last Sunday.

Mosquitoes have put in an appearance and are very unwelcome fellows. E. F. Bicknell and wife from Norway were at J. F. Bicknell's, the 26th.

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Mrs. J. S. Johnson of Fryeburg has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles S. Wiley.

Frank A. Libby in the valley is rebuilding his house and barn which were destroyed by fire.

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Everything of value that the safe contained was taken, but the letters in the office were not stolen. Although the robbers had made good their escape before anybody arrived on the scene, there is little doubt that they were two in number, as indicated by the tracks which were followed to Roxbury Notch, and located the post-office building.

The building in which the post-office is located is a small one-story structure, situated within 12 feet of the residence of postmaster Henry M. Thomas. In connection with the post-office Mr. Thomas conducts a mail and confectionery business. The sound of the explosion, which occurred about 1:30 o'clock, was heard by residents of other sections of the town.

Mr. Thomas and his family were not awakened and knew nothing of the occurrence until aroused by the excited voices of their neighbors.

Frank P. Thomas and Fernando M. Thomas pursued them into the woods and located them at Roxbury. Fearing to make an attempt to arrest them, they assisted them to escape. Mr. Thomas and deputy sheriffs H. L. Elliott and Fred A. Porter went to their assistance.

On the way a number of recruits were gathered and when they arrived in Roxbury the woods were surrounded. Then the line was drawn in gradually and when they reached the center of the woods the men were found. They resisted strongly and several shots were fired before they surrendered. Both the men were armed and one of them also had a razor.

The two men arrested were taken to Rumford Falls, where they gave their names as Robert McLean and John Jenkins and said their homes were in Detroit, Mich. A grip containing \$600 worth of postage stamps and nearly \$400 was taken from them. The contents was identified as the plunder taken from Andover post-office. They were to be arraigned in the Municipal court on Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lane of West Paris are visiting N. D. Abbott's family at South Andover. Mr. Lane has gone to the Lakes. Mrs. Lane remained with her sister, Mrs. Abbott. We are glad to hear Mrs. Lane is entirely recovered from injuries sustained last winter.

The new chairs have arrived for the vestry of the new Universalist church, the lamps are ready and a cooking stove has been put into the kitchen. Everything is in readiness for the social on Tuesday evening. Rev. Manley E. Townsend with his wife and child will be present at that time.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Congregational church has met and many a start to prepare for the meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. Local Union to be held here, June 25. The address of welcome is given by E. M. Bailey. A paper on prayer to be read by Mrs. J. F. Talbot. W. Newhall, J. L. Bailey and Mrs. C. A. Andrews were appointed a committee on entertainment. Mrs. M. A. Howard with all the sisters in active membership was appointed to serve dinner committee.

At same meeting the society voted to raise \$25 for home work of church.

Union memorial exercises were held at the Congregational church in this place. The church was beautifully decorated with flags of all sizes and dimensions, bunting also with jardiniere of beautiful flowers. The ladies displayed a great deal of taste as well as a fine sermon was delivered by Rev. G. B. Hannaford. Text, 2d Chron., 20 chapter, 15th paragraph. Rev. Mr. Hannaford made a few introductory remarks. "I preached in this church, 27 years ago today. I am glad to be with you. I belong to a 'fighting family.' One of my great-grandfathers was a Revolutionary soldier and died at the same time of Geo. Washington." Exercises at the cemetery

at 3 p. m. The R. Ps. attended both services in a body with the G. A. R. About thirty graves of comrades were decorated.

**SOUTH ALBANY.** Sewell Lyon of Auburn spent Sunday with friends in this place.

Elmer Cordwell is at work for L. H. Burnham of Lynchville.

Harry Sawin and wife have moved home with his father, Henry Sawin.

Mrs. Sewell Abbott of Waterford visited at George Abbott's, last Friday.

Mrs. Lydia Sawin has returned from a short visit among friends in Waterford.

Florence Brown of North Waterford visited her aunt, Mrs. Martha Sawin, last Sunday.

Sadie Henley has finished work for Mrs. J. F. Rice at North Waterford, and is at home.

George Abbott and Ed French have driven their steers to Waterford to pasture in Abbott's and Jordan's pasture.

Bert Bird with his brother, Harry Bird of Biddeford, have been among friends and relatives here and at Albany.

Mrs. Calista Sweet and Ethel of Windham are visiting her mother, Mrs. Beulah Abbott. Mrs. Abbott remains about the same.

L. A. Sawin has bought a new buggy of Libby at Norway. Harry Sawin has bought a new beach wagon of Kilgore at Waterford.

Roy Lord has moved on his father's, J. F. Lord's farm. Mr. Lord works at East Waterford and goes to his work with a team in the morning, returning at night.

We understand that the Paris Mfg. Co. has bought a large lot of standing timber near the Albany Basins and will build a mill on the place. J. W. Dresser has taken the job to cut the timber and haul it to the mill.

**EAST STONEHAM.** An accident happened to the engine at North Stoneham, recently. It will probably take several days before it can be put in running order.

Mr. Littlefield has two litters of young pigs, 11 in one, 9 in the other litter. They are beauties, and are some two to three weeks old.

Asa Keniston is to move his family to North Stoneham and Cephas Cobb's family will remove to Albany. Mrs. McKen, Mrs. Cobb's mother, is very low and not expected to live, and it is on this account that the change is made, we presume.

George F. Leppien Post, No. 136, G. A. R., held their principal services on Memorial day at Hunt's Corner, Albany, at 10 o'clock a. m. Rev. J. W. Grindley of Lovell Center is to deliver the memorial address in the p. m. The various cemeteries in the jurisdiction of this Post will be decorated by detailed comrades of the Post. Refreshments will be served in the church vestry at Hunt's Corner.

The family of Henry Bickford, one day the past week, were badly frightened. A daughter, Mrs. Eva Woodbury, was visiting her parents and had her child, a few months old, with her. A bottle of cough medicine had been left by some mistake within reach of the little one, and the child swallowed nearly all the vital contained. The doctor was summoned and gave the best advice possible under the circumstances. Fortunately the medicine did not prove fatal, and the child is out of danger.

As Mrs. Belle McAllister and Lola McKen were on their way to Norway, a few days since, with a team, they came in contact with a pole which had been left in the highway in such a manner that the end of the pole caught in a wheel of the covered buggy. Before it was noticed by the driver in season to prevent a collision Mrs. McAllister, who was driving, was thrown forward against the horse and had her hand injured, besides being severely bruised and shaken. The horse cleared herself from the carriage and ran till caught. The harness and carriage wheel were broken and other damage done.

**WEST STONEHAM.** Ed Hutchins lost a sheep, last week, by bears.

Josie Adams of North Stoneham is at work for J. Bartlett of East Stoneham.

Herbert Adams has returned from his trip to Boston and is much improved in health.

Mrs. Edith McAllister and Little son Wendell of West Lovell visited at her father's, Wm. Adams', last week.

The cylinder to the engine at North Stoneham, so it is shut down for repairs.

Cephas Cobb, who has been running the boarding house at the steam mill, has moved his family to their home in Albany.

Some of the farmers are waiting to plant fields that are almost covered with water. The apple trees are blossomed very full and look as though we should have a bountiful crop.

**KEZAR FALLS.** Surveyors are going over the route for the proposed electric railroad from Cornish station to Kezar Falls and it is believed that the prospect of the road being built is very good. The Ossipee Valley Electric Railroad Co. met in Cornish, May 22d, and organized with the following officers:

President—Artemus F. Pennock. Vice-President—Allen Garner. Treasurer—Frank A. Roberts. Secretary—Clark J. Merrill Lord.

Board of Directors—Arthur F. Pennock, LeRoy F. Pike, Francis A. Roberts, Walter F. Perkins, J. Merrill Lord, E. Brackett, Allen Garner.

Fred McDonald died, May 28, aged 69 years. Services conducted by Rev. F. Potter, were held at his residence on the afternoon of May 28th. Two selections were sung by the choir. Rock of Ages and Abide with Me. Many beautiful flowers were in evidence. Moses Norcross, Arthur Hanscom, Cyrus Durgin and Charles Pendexter served as bearers.

Mr. McDonald leaves a daughter, several sisters and a brother and genial disposition always ready to lend a helping hand to another and leaves many friends, who will sadly miss him.

Eighteen river drivers are staying at the Mt. Cutler house. The boat was out last Monday, and a large number of logs went down over the Falls.

Rev. J. G. W. Herold delivered the memorial sermon, last Sunday. A large number of the soldiers were present. The memorial address will be delivered at the Congregational church at 10:30 by Rev. Luther Freeman of Portland.

Mrs. Chas. B. Davis, accompanied by her mother and sister, Mrs. and Miss Y., last Saturday, started for Buffalo, N. Y., last Saturday. They will visit the Pan-American Exposition, and also her three brothers living in the above city.

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## ALBANY.

Archie Wilbur is at his father's, H. O. Wilbur's, this week.

Daniel Clark and wife recently visited friends in this place and North Albany.

Harry Bird from Biddeford is staying for a few days with friends in his native town.

Mr. and Mrs. Juddkins from North Norway spent Sunday with their son, E. T. Juddkins, and wife.

Fred Clark and family were at H. O. Wilbur's, Saturday night, returning to their home at Bolster's Mills, Sunday evening.

A. G. Bean and son have purchased the hillside farm known as Leonard Cummings' place, also the Haskell pasture of Carter Grover.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Briggs entertained their daughter, Mrs. York, and granddaughter, Mrs. Hunt, and two great-grandchildren from Norway, last Sunday.

Plans for Memorial day, in the forenoon will be the decorating of soldiers' graves; dinner in the vestry; J. W. Grindley will deliver the address for the G. A. R. at 2 p. m.

Mrs. A. S. Cole's niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Juddkins, and Mrs. Juddkins' daughter and friend drove up from Auburn, Saturday, staying over Sunday with Mrs. Juddkins' aunts, Mrs. Cole and Mrs. Kimball.

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Byss and son from Farmington have visited their parents, Capt. and Mrs. Small, and his brother, Daniel Small, this week.

Mrs. L. M. Gurney has improved the inside of the C. E. Handy house, beside making great improvements in the nursery, clearing away rubbish, leveling off, seeding down and setting out pine trees.

**HEBRON.** Prof. H. L. Whitney of Boston is in town.

Mrs. Wallon of Somerville, Mass., is staying at S. P. Cushman's.

Mr. Miller and partner were in town, last week, looking after a good horse.

Mr. and Mrs. Burnham of Portland were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Cushman, last Sunday.

The Hebron Academy base ball team defeated the Edward Little nine at Hebron, last Thursday. Score 6 to 2.

Last Saturday, the Hebron Academy nine played with the Bridgtons at Bridgton and were defeated. Score 2 to 1.

Silas P. Maxin of South Paris was in Hebron, last Saturday. Mr. Maxin is making arrangements for the erection of Mrs. Sarah Howe's new house.

Leon Joscelyn and friend of Auburn came up on their wheels, last Thursday, and were defeated. Score 2 to 1.

George A. Senter of the 1900 class at Hebron Academy passed through the place, Saturday, en route for West Paris, where he preached, Sunday. Mr. Senter is now a student at Bates College.

**EAST HIRAM.** James Warren is subjecting his house to a coat of paint.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardner H. Rankin received the congratulations of their many friends—a girl.

Jesse Cole of Dover, N. H., is spending several weeks with his sister, Mrs. Francis H. Tibbetts.

Cora Mabry returned to her home in Fryeburg, last week, having spent twelve weeks with Mrs. E. C. Burnell.

The funeral services of Mrs. Marietta, wife of Charles Lowell of Hiram, were held at her late residence, Wednesday afternoon, the 22d.

## OXFORD.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Bumpus went to Poland, Sunday.

Harry Goodyear went to Poland and Lewiston, Thursday.

Hattie Farris and Florence Eaton went to Portland, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Holden and son, Otho, visited friends in Orlisfield, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dunbar and children spent Sunday with friends in Richville.

Mrs. Alton Verrill was ill with tonsillitis, last week, and attended by a physician.

Charles Bumpus is improving and repairing the buildings of William Robinson.

S. H. Eaton returned from Boston, Saturday, with a large lot of potted plants.

Leo Walker caught 4 toge on the lake, Friday. He returned to Bowdoin College, Monday.

F. W. Lord, with a friend from Portland, went on a fishing trip up Bear river, last week.

William Lombard has a fine sail boat on the lake and Arthur Record has completed his new cottage.

Mrs. S. H. Eaton and daughter, Florence, and Mrs. Frank Royce went to Portland, Wednesday last week.

Mrs. Mary Bosworth, who has been with relatives in East Summer for the past year, is now in town and a worker in the woolen mill.

Charles Davis, who is much interested in poultry raising, recently set a hen on 15 eggs and she came off with 15 white, fluffy chickens.

The Juvenile base ball team of Oxford played with their little friends from Mechanic Falls, Saturday. Scores 19 to 13 in favor of Mechanic Falls.

Several of our young ladies have pretty costumes in process of construction, which they will wear to the wedding of Marjorie Estes of Auburn, June 5th.

Joseph Jacques gave a house warming at his cottage by the lake, Saturday afternoon. Many of his friends were present and a good time was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keene went on their wheels to West Poland, Sunday. They are improving their buildings, have removed the fence from the yard and will have a hedge in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bumpus, Mrs. Charles Hanscom and Floy Blake went to Norway, Saturday, also Mrs. William Lombard and daughter, Mabel, and Annie Rowe went to Norway, Wednesday last week.

The Congregational church was very prettily decorated, Sunday, May 26th, and Rev. Frederick Newport preached a very fine memorial sermon. Rev. Arthur Callaghan also preached an excellent memorial sermon at the Methodist church the morning.

Many people are fixing up the flower beds around their homestead. H. L. Bumpus is making some very pretty flower tubs for lawn decoration. Mrs. F. W. Lord arranged her plants on her outside lawn, last week, some of which are now in bloom. They are beautiful every season.

**NORTH BUCKFIELD.** Apple trees are white with blossoms. Little Bessey has gone to Sumner on a visit.

Mrs. B. F. Heald is quite poorly, this spring.

Mayberry Mayhew is at work for Carl Heald.

M. F. Bisbee made his folks a visit, last Sunday.

Jim Richards has gone to Jay to work with his horse.

Fred Harlow arrived home from New York, the 18th.

Mert Warren and family went to Turner, last Sabbath.

Fannie Lotthrop and son were at J. E. Mayhew's, the 25th.

George Record and wife were at Jim Bicknell's, last Sunday.

Dr. Heald and wife and little Alice were at Fred Heald's, the 26th.

Mrs. Ella Damon worked for Clinton Mason, two days the past week.

Florian Jordan and wife were at Eugene Record's, last Sunday.

Mosquitoes have put in an appearance and are very unwelcome fellows.

E. F. Bicknell and wife from Norway were at J. F. Bicknell's, the 26th.

Mrs. Amanda Keene is the 26th.

Mrs. G. Pulsifer at West Sumner work for Lillian Verrill from Auburn visited her mother, Mrs. Fuller, recently.

Pearl Jordan has finished doing Carl Heald's chores and gone to his home.

Clarence Damon is chopping wood for Carl Heald and boards at Ed. Damon's.

Mrs. J. E. Mayhew has got back to her home after passing the winter in the city.

## Conference at North Waterford.

Union conference of Congregational churches will meet at North Waterford, Wednesday and Thursday, June 12-13. Program:

**WEDNESDAY MORNING.**  
11.00 Devotional services.  
11.30 Business.  
**AFTERNOON.**  
1.30 Sermon.  
2.15 Topic: Church Work—15 minute talks.  
(a) Where Does it Extend?  
(b) The Part of the Layman.  
(c) The Part of the Pastor.  
(d) The Value of Method.  
3.15 Discussion.  
3.45 Report of the churches by circle.  
Recess.  
**EVENING.**  
7.15 Praise service.  
7.30 Address: How Can We Strengthen the Bond of Fellowship Among the Churches?  
8.00 Mission in China.  
8.30 Devotional services.  
9.15 Address: How Can We Strengthen the Bond of Fellowship Among the Churches?  
9.45 Topic: The Forward Movement in Maine (a) Its Aims and Methods.  
10.15 Discussion.  
11.00 Report of committees.  
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3.00 Mission in China.  
3.30 Devotional services.  
4.15 Address: How Can We Strengthen the Bond of Fellowship Among the Churches?  
4.45 Topic: The Forward Movement in Maine (a) Its Aims and Methods.  
5.15 Discussion.  
6.00 Report of committees.

**RUMFORD POINT.** Fred Grant is tending ferry.

Will Bowers has bought a team.

M. E. Barker has started his meat cart.

George Hodgdon has gone to Framingham, Mass., to visit his son.

Stillman Morse and Dr. H. F. Abbott went to Bryant's Pond, Thursday.

J. M. Cummings and wife of Norway, Frank Russell, Ora Marston and Samuel Stinchfield of South Paris, Fon Charles and lady, Ernest Nason and wife of North Waterford were at Marble Hotel, Sunday.

**The Prisoner of Zenda.** In making the announcement that "The Prisoner of Zenda" will be presented here by Shipman Brothers' fine company at the Opera House on Friday evening, further remarks seem superfluous. It can be taken for granted that every theatre-goer in town who can attend will be present. The dramatization of Anthony Hope's novel, the most famous of this generation, is without doubt the greatest dramatic success of recent years.

Shipman Brothers' name is a substantial guarantee that the play will be presented on a lavish scale, with special scenery, elaborate costumes, ingenious light effects and above all by a company of artists of reputation and ability.

**BRIDGTON.** Charles Wiley lost a nice present, last week.

Grass is looking well and a prospect of a good hay crop.

Mrs. Henry Farrington of the railway is learning to ride a wheel.

The Hio circle met with Mrs. Joseph March, Thursday evening.

Dr. L. J. Frink is erecting a fine new building near the M. E. church.

The North Bridgton boys defeated the Bowdoin College boys, Wednesday.

Irving Hibbard has raised the roof of his house 7 feet with the addition of a piazza.

Mrs. J. S. Johnson of Fryeburg has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles S. Wiley.

Frank A. Libby in the valley is rebuilding his house and barn which was destroyed by fire.

The Bridgton high school ball team played the Fryeburg, Saturday, May 25. The scores were 9 to 4 in Bridgton's favor.

**EAST OTISFIELD.** Mrs. Sarah Kemp is in rather poor health.